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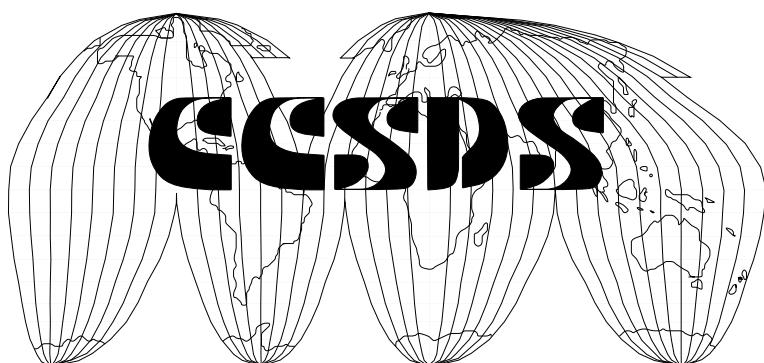
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VCA SERVICE AND PROTOCOL**

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## **FOREWORD**

This document, which is a technical Recommendation prepared by the Consultative Committee for Space Data Systems (CCSDS), is intended for use by participating space Agencies in their development of “Advanced Orbiting Systems”.

This Recommendation, written using the ISO Formal Description Technique LOTOS, contains a formal specification of the VCA Protocol and Service, described in Natural Language in reference [2]. Annex A contains a set of tests, also written using LOTOS, which specify the required behaviour of the VCA Protocol and Service under certain control and input conditions.

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## 1 PURPOSE AND SCOPE

This document provides formal specifications of the Consultative Committee for Space Data Systems (CCSDS) Advanced Orbiting Systems (AOS) VCA service and protocol<sup>1</sup> using the ISO LOTOS formal description technique (refer to reference [3]). These formal specifications are not intended as replacements for the natural-language specifications provided in the AOS Blue Book (reference [2]), but as unambiguous expressions of those specifications, which may be used to clarify any problem areas.

This document is one of four CCSDS Recommendations that provide LOTOS specifications for the suite of AOS services and protocols (see references [4] through [6]). The relationship between the main AOS Recommendation and the four LOTOS Specifications is shown below; the numbers to the right are the CCSDS document references for the Recommendations containing the LOTOS Specifications.

ADT Library	705.1
Path Service	705.2
Path Protocol	705.2
VCLC Service	705.3
VCLC Protocol	705.3
VCA Service	705.4
VCA Protocol	705.4

A supporting CCSDS Report (reference [7]) contains the rationale, methodology, and approach used to prepare the LOTOS specifications.

These documents are expected to be of use primarily to the technical experts responsible for the design, configuration, and testing of AOS implementations; a basic knowledge of LOTOS is required to understand the formal specifications. Other users of the AOS services should consult the main AOS Recommendation and the companion CCSDS Report (references [2] and [8]).

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<sup>1</sup>The natural-language specifications for the VCA service and protocol are contained in the AOS Blue Book, CCSDS 701.0-B-2, reference [2].

## 2 VIRTUAL CHANNEL ACCESS PROTOCOL

```
specification vca [vca, vcd, insert, man, release, bitrate, phys]
  (InsertErrorChecked : Bool,
   GenerateInsertLossFlag : Bool,
   FillPattern : OctetString) : noexit
```

This LOTOS specification represents the functional requirements of the Virtual Channel Access (VCA) Sublayer protocols, for use in the Space Link Subnetwork (SLS), as described in *Advanced Orbiting Systems, Networks and Data Links: Architectural Specification*, reference [2].

### 2.1 INTRODUCTION

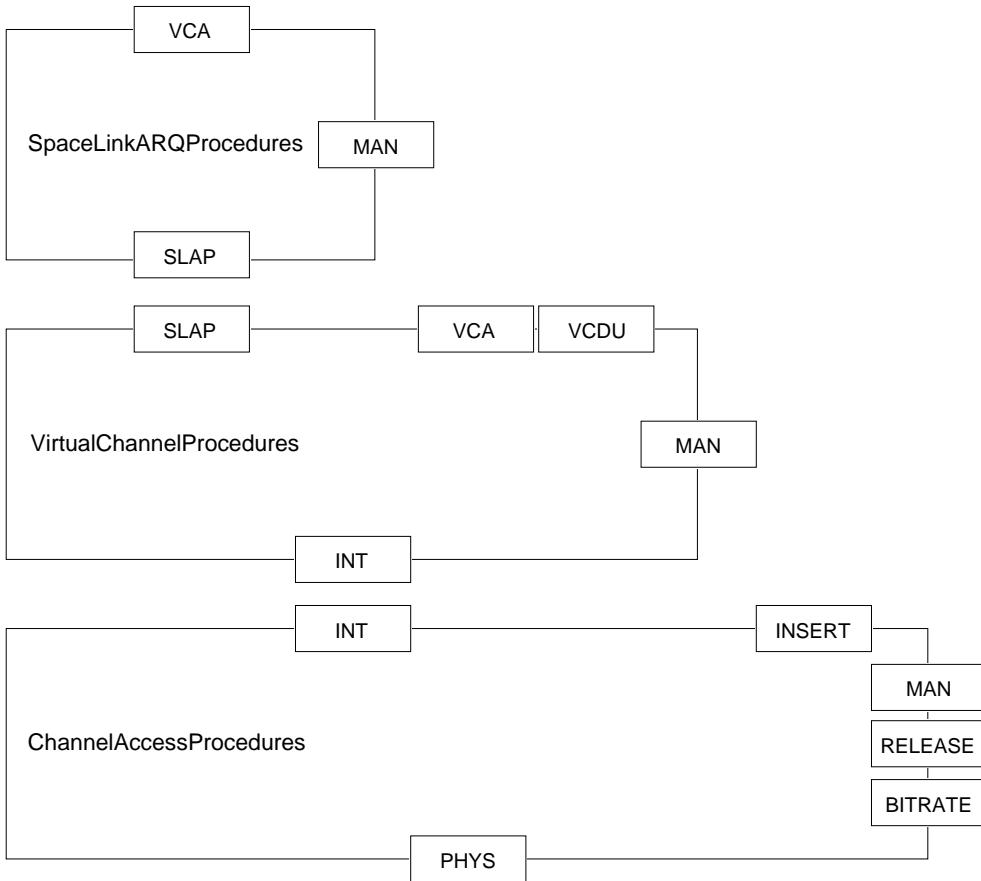
The CCSDS Virtual Channel Access Service provides transfer of a number of different Service Data Units (SDUs) across the physical space channel. These SDUs may be formatted in one of three ways:

- VCA\_SDUs are effectively the User Data fields of Virtual Channels. They are used to interact with the VCLC Service, but they may also be used to interact with other SLS Users who choose to format their own VCA\_SDUs.
- IN\_SDUs are fixed-length data units which are inserted by the VCA Service into each Virtual Channel Data Unit before they are transmitted. This service is used to transfer isochronous data such as audio.
- VC\_PDUs are identical in format to the Protocol Data Unit generated by the VCA Service. This service is used to transfer Virtual Channel Data Units created by an independent ‘VCA’ entity.

#### 2.1.1 Specification Architecture

The LOTOS specification is broken down internally as shown in Figure 2-1. The Space Link ARQ Procedures have been retained for the sake of compatibility with the AOS Blue Book (reference [2]); their operation is not covered in this specification. The interfaces are described in more detail below.

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**Figure 2-1: Internal Breakdown of LOTOS Specification**

[VCA] represents the interface between the VCLC Service (or an SLS User with user-formatted VCA\_SDUs) and a Virtual Channel Procedure (either directly or through the Space Link ARQ Procedures).

[VCDU] represents the interface between an independent ‘VCA’ entity generating its own VCDUs and a Virtual Channel Procedure.

[INSERT] represents the interface between an Insert Service User and the Channel Access Procedures which implement (among other services) the Insert Service.

[RELEASE] represents the VCDU Release Algorithm which determines when VCDUs should be transmitted over the Link. The presence of such an algorithm is defined by the AOS Blue Book (reference [2]), but its constitution is project-specific; thus the LOTOS specification treats the Release Algorithm as an abstract interface over which instructions to release VCDUs are received.

[BITRATE] represents an abstract ‘clock’ which is used to synchronize the sending and receiving of bits to and from the Link.

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[MAN] represents the interface with management for configuring the proper protocol layers, sub-layers, or procedures. Since the specifications are written to require a separate instantiation for each different stream of data (i.e., service instance) it is data received over this interface that effect the instantiation of entities with the required management information.

[PHYS] represents the interface between the VCA Service and the physical space channel (or Link).

Note – The [man] gate does not represent a true management interface; functions such as stopping, restarting and interrogating the protocol entities have not been specified. The [man] gate interaction only performs instantiation of protocol entities.

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```
library VCDU, VCDULossFlag, InsertLossFlag, VCDUHeaderErrorControl,
    ReedSolomonCheckSymbols, SynchronizationMarker,
    VCDUOperationalControlField, Boolean, Bit, VCDUID,
    VCDUErrorControlField endlib
```

The Direction ADT is associated with both Physical and Virtual Channels, and is used in the Managed Information passed to the VCA Layer.

```
type  Direction is Boolean
sorts Direction
opns  Incoming      : -> Direction
      Outgoing     : -> Direction
      _Eq_          : Direction, Direction -> Bool
      _Ne_          : Direction, Direction -> Bool
eqns  forall x, y : Direction
      ofsort Bool
      Incoming Eq Incoming      = True ;
      Incoming Eq Outgoing     = False ;
      Outgoing Eq Incoming     = False ;
      Outgoing Eq Outgoing     = True ;
      x Ne y                  = Not(x Eq y) ;
endtype
```

The UpperLayer ADT represents part of the Managed Information passed to the VCA layer; it associates an upper-layer service (one of VCA, VCDU or SLAP) with each Virtual Channel.

```
type  UpperLayer is Boolean
sorts UpperLayer
opns  VCALayer      : -> UpperLayer
      VCDULayer    : -> UpperLayer
      SLAPLayer    : -> UpperLayer
      _Eq_          : UpperLayer, UpperLayer -> Bool
      _Ne_          : UpperLayer, UpperLayer -> Bool
eqns  forall x, y : UpperLayer
      ofsort Bool
      VCALayer Eq VCALayer      = True ;
      VCALayer Eq VCDULayer    = False ;
      VCALayer Eq SLAPLayer    = False ;
      VCDULayer Eq VCALayer    = False ;
      VCDULayer Eq VCDULayer   = True ;
      VCDULayer Eq SLAPLayer   = False ;
      SLAPLayer Eq VCALayer    = False ;
      SLAPLayer Eq VCDULayer   = False ;
      SLAPLayer Eq SLAPLayer   = True ;
      x Ne y                  = Not(x Eq y) ;
endtype
```

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The LinkID ADT is used to distinguish between Physical Channels in the case where the VCA Layer is connected to more than one Physical Channel. It is not carried in the VCDU Structure.

```

type LinkID is Bit, Boolean
sorts LinkID
opns NullLINKID      : -> LinkID
      Add           : Bit, LinkID -> LinkID
      _Eq_          : LinkID, LinkID -> Bool
      _Ne_          : LinkID, LinkID -> Bool
eqns forall b1, b2 : Bit, LINKID1, LINKID2 : LinkID
      ofsort Bool
      NullLINKID Eq NullLINKID      = True ;
      NullLINKID Eq Add(b1, LINKID1) = False ;
      Add(b1, LINKID1) Eq NullLINKID = False ;
      Add(b1, LINKID1) Eq Add(b2, LINKID2) = (b1 Eq b2) And (LINKID1 Eq LINKID2) ;
      LINKID1 Ne LINKID2          = Not(LINKID1 Eq LINKID2) ;
endtype

```

The LinkIDList ADT represents a list of Link IDs, and is used by VCA to provide multicasting of a Virtual Channel over more than one Physical Channel.

```

type LINKIDList is LinkID
sorts LINKIDList
opns NullLINKIDList   : -> LINKIDList
      Add           : LinkID, LINKIDList -> LINKIDList
      Tail          : LINKIDList -> LINKIDList
      Head          : LINKIDList -> LinkID
eqns forall x, y : LinkID, l : LINKIDList
      ofsort LinkID
      Head(NullLINKIDList)      = NullLINKID ;
      Head(Add(x, NullLINKIDList)) = x ;
      Head(Add(x, Add(y, l)))   = Head(Add(y, l)) ;
      ofsort LINKIDList
      Tail(NullLINKIDList)      = NullLINKIDList ;
      Tail(Add(x, NullLINKIDList)) = NullLINKIDList ;
      Tail(Add(x, Add(y, l)))   = Add(x, Tail(Add(y, l))) ;
endtype

```

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```

type VCDUQueue is VCDU, VCDUID
sorts VCDUQueue
opns create : -> VCDUQueue
    AddBack : VCDU, VCDUQueue -> VCDUQueue
    remove : VCDUID, VCDUQueue -> VCDUQueue
    withdraw : VCDUID, VCDUQueue -> VCDUQueue
    expedite : VCDUID, VCDUQueue -> VCDU
    first : VCDUQueue -> VCDU
    tail : VCDUQueue -> VCDUQueue
    reverse : VCDUQueue -> VCDUQueue
eqns forall x, y : VCDUID, p, q : VCDU, z : VCDUQueue

ofsort VCDU

first(create) = NullVCDU ;
first(AddBack(p, create)) = p ;
first(AddBack(p, AddBack(q, z))) = first(AddBack(q, z)) ;

expedite(x, create) = NullVCDU ;

GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(first(z))) Eq x =>
expedite(x, z) = first(z) ;

GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(first(z))) Ne x =>
expedite(x, z) = expedite(x, remove(GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader
(first(z))), z)) ;

ofsort VCDUQueue

tail(create) = create ;
tail(AddBack(p, create)) = create ;
tail(AddBack(p, z)) = AddBack(p, tail(z)) ;

remove(x, create) = create ;

GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(first(z))) Eq x =>
remove(x, z) = tail(z) ;

GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(first(z))) Ne x =>
remove(x, z) = reverse(withdraw(x, z)) ;

withdraw(x, create) = create ;

GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(first(z))) Eq x =>
withdraw(x, z) = reverse(tail(z)) ;

GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(first(z))) Ne x =>
withdraw(x, z) = AddBack(first(z),
                           withdraw(x, tail(z))) ;

reverse(create) = create ;
reverse(z) = AddBack(first(z), reverse(tail(z))) ;

endtype

```

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behaviour

```
hide slap, int in

SpaceLinkARQProcedures [vca, man, slap]
|[slap]|
VirtualChannelProcedures [vca, vcd, man, slap, int]
|[int]|
ChannelAccessProcedures [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
  (InsertErrorChecked,
   GenerateInsertLossFlag,
   FillPattern)
```

where

The SLAP Procedures, although completely contained within the VCA sublayer, are sufficiently complex and detailed to put them outside the scope of the current Validation Programme. It is envisaged that the SLAP Procedural Entity will be specified as accepting VCA\_SDUs on the GoVirtualChannel at the [vca] gate/generating SLAP\_PDUs at the [slap] gate, and accepting SLAP\_PDUs at the [slap] gate on the ReturnVirtualChannel/generating VCA\_SDUs at the [vca] gate. The Virtual Channel Procedures are specified to support SLAP in this fashion.

```
process SpaceLinkARQProcedures [vca, man, slap] : noexit :=
(
  man ? GoVirtualChannel : VCDUID
    ? GoLink : LinkID
    ? ReturnVirtualChannel : VCDUID
    ? ReturnLink : LinkID
    ? GoVCPDULength : Nat
    ? ReturnVCPDULength : Nat ;
  (
    SpaceLinkARQProcedures [vca, man, slap]
    |||
    SpaceLinkARQProceduralEntity [vca, slap]
      (GoVirtualChannel,
       GoLink,
       ReturnVirtualChannel,
       ReturnLink,
       GoVCPDULength,
       ReturnVCPDULength)
  )
)
```

where

```
process SpaceLinkARQProceduralEntity [vca, slap]
  (GoVirtualChannel : VCDUID,
   GoLink : LinkID,
   ReturnVirtualChannel : VCDUID,
   ReturnLink : LinkID,
   GoVCPDULength : Nat,
   ReturnVCPDULength : Nat) : noexit :=
(
  stop
)
endproc SpaceLinkARQProceduralEntity

endproc SpaceLinkARQProcedures
```

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In the following description, a value of all zeroes for the initial setting of the VCDUCounter is chosen for convenience only. An implementation may chose to initialise this count with some other value.

```
process VirtualChannelProcedures [vca, vcd, man, slap, int] : noexit :=
(
    man ? VirtualChannel : VCDUID
        ? Direction : Direction
        ? RequiredLength : Nat
        ? UpperLayer : UpperLayer
        ? Links : LINKIDList ;
    (
        VirtualChannelProcedures [vca, vcd, man, slap, int]
        |||
        VirtualChannelProceduralEntity [vca, vcd, man, slap, int]
            (VirtualChannel,
             Direction,
             RequiredLength,
             MakeVCDUCounter(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                             Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                             Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0)),
             UpperLayer,
             Links)
    )
)
```

where

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The VirtualChannelProceduralEntity process covers the procedures specified in 5.4.9.1.1 of the AOS Blue Book (reference [2]). The process behaves either as a VCDUAssembly or a VCASDUExtraction process depending on the value of the Direction attribute passed by management. The interpretation of the RequiredLength attribute depends upon the value of the UpperLayer attribute: if the UpperLayer is the VCA UnitData service, then the RequiredLength refers to the VCA\_SDU; if the UpperLayer is the SLAP service, then the RequiredLength refers to the SLAP\_SDU; and, finally, if the UpperLayer is the Virtual Channel Data Unit service, then the RequiredLength refers to the VCDU/CVCDU.

```
process VirtualChannelProceduralEntity [vca, vcd, man, slap, int]
    (VirtualChannel : VCDUID,
     ChannelDirection : Direction,
     RequiredLength : Nat,
     InitCounter : VCDUCounter,
     UpperLayer : UpperLayer,
     Links : LINKIDList) : noexit :=
(
    [ChannelDirection Eq Outgoing] ->
        man ! VirtualChannel
        ? VCType : ReplayFlag ;
        VCDUAssembly [vca, vcd, slap, int]
        (VirtualChannel,
         VCType,
         RequiredLength,
         InitCounter,
         UpperLayer,
         Links)
    []
    [ChannelDirection Eq Incoming] ->
        VCASDUExtraction [vca, vcd, slap, int]
        (VirtualChannel,
         RequiredLength,
         InitCounter,
         UpperLayer,
         Head(Links))
)
where
```

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```
process VCDUAssembly [vca, vcdu, slap, int]
  (VirtualChannel : VCDUID,
   VCType : ReplayFlag,
   RequiredLength : Nat,
   InitCounter : VCDUCounter,
   UpperLayer : UpperLayer,
   Links : LINKIDList)
(
[UppperLayer Eq VCALayer] ->
 (
  vca ! VirtualChannel
  ? VCASDU : OctetString [LengthOf(VCASDU) Eq RequiredLength] ;
  DespatchVCDUs [int]
  (MakeVCDU(MakeVCDUPrimaryHeader
    (Version2,
     VirtualChannel,
     Counter,
     MakeSignallingField(VCType,
      VCDUSpare),
     NoVCDUHEC),
    NullOS,
    VCASDU,
    NullTrailer,
    NullOS),
     VirtualChannel,
     Links)
>>
  VCDUAssembly [vca, vcdu, slap, int]
  (VirtualChannel,
   VCType,
   RequiredLength,
   Next(Counter),
   UpperLayer,
   Links)
)
[])

```

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```
[UpperLayer Eq VCDULayer] ->
(
  vcdul ! VirtualChannel
    ? VCDU : VCDU [LengthOf(ConvertVCDUTOOS(VCDU)) Eq RequiredLength] ;
  DespatchVCDUs [int] (VCDU, VirtualChannel, Links)
  >>
  VCDUAssembly [vca, vcdul, slap, int]
    (VirtualChannel,
     VCType,
     RequiredLength,
     Next(Counter),
     UpperLayer,
     Links)
)
[]

[UpperLayer Eq SLAPLayer] ->
(
  slap ! VirtualChannel
    ? SLAPPDU : OctetString [LengthOf(SLAPPDU) Eq RequiredLength] ;
  int ! Head(Links)
  ! VirtualChannel
  ! MakeVCDU(MakeVCDUPrimaryHeader(Version2,
    VirtualChannel,
    Counter,
    MakeSignallingField(VCType,
      VCDUSpare),
    NoVCDUHEC),
    NullOS,
    SLAPPDU,
    NullTrailer,
    NullOS);
  VCDUAssembly [vca, vcdul, slap, int]
    (VirtualChannel,
     VCType,
     RequiredLength,
     Next(Counter),
     UpperLayer,
     Links)
)
)

where
```

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```
process DespatchVCDUs [int] (VCDU : VCDU,
                             VirtualChannel : VCDUID,
                             Links : LINKIDList) : exit :=
(
[Head(Links) Eq NullLINKID] ->
(
    exit
)
[])
[Head(Links) Ne NullLINKID] ->
(
    int ! Head(Links)
    ! VirtualChannel
    ! VCDU ;
    DespatchVCDUs [int] (VCDU, VirtualChannel, Tail(Links))
)
)
endproc DespatchVCDUs

endproc VCDUAssembly
```

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```
process VCASDUExtraction [vca, vcdut, slap, int]
    (VirtualChannel : VCDUID,
     RequiredLength : Nat,
     Counter : VCDUCounter,
     UpperLayer : UpperLayer,
     Link : LinkID) : noexit :=
(
[UpperLayer Eq VCALayer] ->
(
int ! Link
! VirtualChannel
? VCDU : VCDU ;
(
[ (GetVCDUCounter(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU)) Eq Counter) ] ->
(
vca ! VirtualChannel
! GetVCASDU(VCDU)
! VCDUNotLost ;
VCASDUExtraction [vca, vcdut, slap, int]
(VirtualChannel,
RequiredLength,
Next(Counter),
UpperLayer,
Link)
)
[])
[ (GetVCDUCounter(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU)) Ne Counter) ] ->
(
vca ! VirtualChannel
! GetVCASDU(VCDU)
! VCDULost ;
VCASDUExtraction [vca, vcdut, slap, int]
(VirtualChannel,
RequiredLength,
Next(GetVCDUCounter
    (GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU))),
UpperLayer,
Link)
)
)
)
[])

```

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```
[UpperLayer Eq VCDULayer] ->
(
  int ! Link
    ! VirtualChannel
    ? VCDU : VCDU ;
  vcdul ! VirtualChannel
    ! VCDU ;
  VCASDUExtraction [vca, vcdul, slap, int]
    (VirtualChannel,
     RequiredLength,
     Counter,
     UpperLayer,
     Link)
)
[ ]
[Uppelayer Eq SLAPLayer] ->
(
  int ! Link
    ! VirtualChannel
    ? VCDU : VCDU ;
  slaps ! VirtualChannel
    ! GetVCASDU(VCDU) ;
  VCASDUExtraction [vca, vcdul, slaps, int]
    (VirtualChannel,
     RequiredLength,
     Counter,
     UpperLayer,
     Link)
)
)
endproc VCASDUExtraction

endproc VirtualChannelProceduralEntity

endproc VirtualChannelProcedures
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process ChannelAccessProcedures [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
    (InsertErrorChecked : Bool,
     GenerateInsertLossFlag : Bool,
     FillPattern : OctetString) : noexit :=
(
    man ? Link : LinkID
    ? VCPDUSize      : Nat
    ? DUZLength      : Nat
    ? InsertActive   : Bool
    ? InsertSize     : Nat
    ? BitTransReq   : Bool
    ? Direction      : Direction ;
(
    ChannelAccessProcedures [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
    (InsertErrorChecked,
     GenerateInsertLossFlag,
     FillPattern)
|||
    ChannelAccessProceduralEntity [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
    (Link,
     VCPDUSize,
     DUZLength,
     InsertActive,
     GenerateInsertLossFlag,
     InsertSize,
     InsertErrorChecked,
     BitTransReq,
     Direction,
     FillPattern)
)
)
```

where

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process ChannelAccessProceduralEntity [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
  (Link : LinkID,
   VCPDUSize : Nat,
   DUZLength : Nat,
   InsertActive : Bool,
   GenerateInsertLossFlag : Bool,
   InsertSize : Nat,
   InsertErrorChecked : Bool,
   BitTransReq : Bool,
   Direction : Direction,
   FillPattern : OctetString) : noexit :=
(
  [Direction Eq Outgoing] ->
  (
  hide ecef, delim in
    (
      VCDUCommutator [int, man, release, insert, ecef] (InsertActive,
                                                       InsertSize,
                                                       Link,
                                                       DUZLength,
                                                       FillPattern,
                                                       create)
      | [ecef]|
      ErrorControlEncoding [ecef, man, delim] (Link)
      | [delim]|
      Delimiter [delim, bitrate, phys] (Link,
                                         BitTransReq,
                                         NullBS)
    )
  )
  []
  [Direction Eq Incoming] ->
  (
  hide ecdf, synch in
    (
      VCDUDecommutator [int, ecdf] (Link)
      | [ecdf]|
      ErrorControlDecoding [ecdf, insert, man, synch] (Link,
                                                       InsertActive,
                                                       GenerateInsertLossFlag,
                                                       InsertSize,
                                                       InsertErrorChecked)
      | [synch]|
      Synchroniser [synch, phys] (Link,
                                 NullBS,
                                 BitTransReq,
                                 VCPDUSize,
                                 False)
    )
  )
)
)

where
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

The VCDUCommutator process broadly covers the function defined in the AOS Blue Book (reference [2]) under 5.4.9.1.2.1. The major difference is that the VCDUCommutator has no direct access to the external [vca] and [vcdu] service interfaces, and instead receives VCDUs/CVCDUs from the VCDUAssembly process over the [int] gate. The [release] gate represents an interface to the VC\_PDU release algorithm which is not specified by CCSDS, but affects the order in which VC\_PDUs are transmitted.

The VCDUCommutator process also contains the Insert injection function, this ensuring that the IN\_SDU is in place before the CRC/Reed-Solomon encoding is carried out. Note that the process ‘expects’ the IN\_SDU to be available at VC\_PDU release time rather than accepting IN\_SDUs asynchronously, this reflects 5.4.9.1.2.4.b in the AOS Blue Book.

```
process VCDUCommutator [int, man, release, insert, ecef]
    (InsertActive : Bool,
     InsertSize : Nat,
     Link : LinkID,
     DUZLength : Nat,
     FillPattern : OctetString,
     VCDUQueue : VCDUQueue) : noexit :=
(
  [Not(InsertActive)] ->
  (
    (
      int ! Link
      ? VirtualChannel : VCDUID
      ? VCDU : VCDU ;
      VCDUCommutator [int, man, release, insert, ecef]
        (InsertActive,
         InsertSize,
         Link,
         DUZLength,
         FillPattern,
         AddBack(VCDU, VCDUQueue))
    )
  [ ]
```

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```
(  
    release ! Link  
        ? VCDUID : VCDUID ;  
    (  
        [expedite(VCDUID, VCDUQueue) Ne NullVCDU] ->  
            (  
                ecef ! Link  
                    ! expedite(VCDUID, VCDUQueue) ;  
                VCDUCommutator [int, man, release, insert, ecef]  
                    (InsertActive,  
                     InsertSize,  
                     Link,  
                     DUZLength,  
                     FillPattern,  
                     Remove(VCDUID, VCDUQueue))  
            )  
        []  
        [expedite(VCDUID, VCDUQueue) Eq NullVCDU] ->  
            (  
                ecef ! Link  
                    ! MakeFillVCDU(FillPattern, DUZLength) ;  
                VCDUCommutator [int, man, release, insert, ecef]  
                    (InsertActive,  
                     InsertSize,  
                     Link,  
                     DUZLength,  
                     FillPattern,  
                     VCDUQueue)  
            )  
        )  
    )  
)
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```

[ ]
[InsertActive] ->
(
(
    int ! Link
        ? VirtualChannel : VCDUID
        ? VCDU : VCDU ;
    VCDUCommutator [int, man, release, insert, ecef]
        (InsertActive,
         InsertSize,
         Link,
         DUZLength,
         FillPattern,
         AddBack(VCDU, VCDUQueue))
)
[ ]
(
    release ! Link
        ? VCDUID : VCDUID ;
(
[expedite(VCDUID, VCDUQueue) Ne NullVCDU] ->
(
    insert ! Link
        ? INSDU : OctetString [LengthOf(INSDU) Eq InsertSize] ;
    ecef ! Link
        ! SetInsertZone(INSDU, expedite(VCDUID, VCDUQueue)) ;
    VCDUCommutator [int, man, release, insert, ecef]
        (InsertActive,
         InsertSize,
         Link,
         DUZLength,
         FillPattern,
         Remove(VCDUID, VCDUQueue))
)
[ ]
[expedite(VCDUID, VCDUQueue) Eq NullVCDU] ->
(
    insert ! Link
        ? INSDU : OctetString [LengthOf(INSDU) Eq InsertSize] ;
    ecef ! Link
        ! SetInsertZone(INSDU, MakeFillVCDU(FillPattern,
                                              DUZLength)) ;
    VCDUCommutator [int, man, release, insert, ecef]
        (InsertActive,
         InsertSize,
         Link,
         DUZLength,
         FillPattern,
         VCDUQueue)
)
)
)
)
)
)
endproc VCDUCommutator

```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

This process covers the procedures specified in section 5.4.9.1.2.3 of the AOS Blue Book (reference [2]). Certain combinations of error control encoding are not dealt with as they violate statements in the AOS Blue Book; for instance the VCDU Error Control Field is mandatory within Virtual Channels that are not Reed-Solomon encoded (5.4.9.2.1.4.2.b), and the VCDU Error Control and Operational Control Fields cannot be present if the VCDU Trailer is absent.

```
process ErrorControlEncoding [ecef, man, delim]
    (Link : LinkID) : noexit :=
(
    ecef ! Link
    ? VCDU : VCDU ;
    man ! GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU))
    ? HeaderErrorControlRequired : Bool
    ? TrailerPresent : Bool
    ? VCDErrorControlRequired : Bool
    ? OperationalControlFieldPresent : Bool
    ? ReedSolomonRequired : Bool
    ? ReedSolomonLength : Nat ;
    (
        AddOptionalFields [man] (VCDU,
            HeaderErrorControlRequired,
            TrailerPresent,
            VCDErrorControlRequired,
            OperationalControlFieldPresent,
            ReedSolomonRequired,
            ReedSolomonLength)
    >>
    accept VCDU : VCDU in
        (
            delim ! Link
            ! VCDU ;
            ErrorControlEncoding [ecef, man, delim] (Link)
        )
    )
)
```

where

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```

process AddOptionalFields [man]
    (VCDU : VCDU,
     HeaderErrorControlRequired : Bool,
     TrailerPresent : Bool,
     VCDUErrorControlRequired : Bool,
     OperationalControlFieldPresent : Bool,
     ReedSolomonRequired : Bool,
     ReedSolomonLength : Nat) : exit (VCDU) :=
(
    AddHeaderErrorControl [man] (VCDU,
                                 HeaderErrorControlRequired)
    >>
    accept VCDU : VCDU in
    AddTrailer [man] (VCDU,
                       TrailerPresent,
                       VCDUErrorControlRequired,
                       OperationalControlFieldPresent)
    >>
    accept VCDU : VCDU in
    AddReedSolomon [man] (VCDU,
                           ReedSolomonRequired,
                           ReedSolomonLength)
    >>
    accept VCDU : VCDU in
    exit(VCDU)
)

```

where

```

process AddHeaderErrorControl [man] (VCDU : VCDU,
                                     HeaderErrorControlRequired : Bool) : exit (VCDU) :=
(
let PH : VCDUPrimaryHeader = GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU),
 IZ : OctetString = GetInsertZone(VCDU),
 DU : OctetString = GetVCASDU(VCDU),
 TR : VCDUTrailer = GetVCDUTrailer(VCDU),
 RS : OctetString = GetReedSolomon(VCDU)
in
(
    [HeaderErrorControlRequired] ->
        exit(MakeVCDU(SetVCDUHEC(GenerateRS(2), PH),
                      IZ,
                      DU,
                      TR,
                      RS))
    []
    [Not(HeaderErrorControlRequired)] ->
        exit(MakeVCDU(SetVCDUHEC(NoVCDUHEC, PH),
                      IZ,
                      DU,
                      TR,
                      RS)))
)
endproc AddHeaderErrorControl

```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process AddTrailer [man] (VCDU : VCDU,
                           TrailerPresent : Bool,
                           VCDUErrorControlRequired : Bool,
                           OperationalControlFieldRequired : Bool) : exit (VCDU) :=
(
let PH : VCDUPrimaryHeader = GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU),
  IZ : OctetString = GetInsertZone(VCDU),
  DU : OctetString = GetVCASDU(VCDU),
  RS : OctetString = GetReedSolomon(VCDU)
in
  (
    [TrailerPresent] ->
      (
        [VCDUErrorControlRequired
         And
         OperationalControlFieldRequired] ->
          exit(MakeVCDU(PH,
                         IZ,
                         DU,
                         MakeVCDUTrailer(VCDUOCF,
                                           VCDUECF),
                         RS))
    []
    [Not(VCDUErrorControlRequired)
     And
     OperationalControlFieldRequired] ->
      exit(MakeVCDU(PH,
                     IZ,
                     DU,
                     MakeVCDUTrailer(VCDUOCF,
                                   NoECF),
                     RS))
    []
    [VCDUErrorControlRequired
     And
     Not(OperationalControlFieldRequired)] ->
      exit(MakeVCDU(PH,
                     IZ,
                     DU,
                     MakeVCDUTrailer(NoOCF,
                                   VCDUECF),
                     RS))
    )
  []
  [Not(TrailerPresent)] ->
    exit(MakeVCDU(PH,
                  IZ,
                  DU,
                  NullTrailer,
                  RS))
  )
)
endproc AddTrailer
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process AddReedSolomon [man] (VCDU : VCDU,
                               ReedSolomonRequired : Bool,
                               ReedSolomonLength : Nat) : exit(VCDU) :=
(
let PH : VCDUPrimaryHeader = GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU),
  IZ : OctetString = GetInsertZone(VCDU),
  DU : OctetString = GetVCASDU(VCDU),
  TR : VCDUTrailer = GetVCDUTrailer(VCDU)
in
  (
    [ReedSolomonRequired] ->
      exit(MakeVCDU(PH,
                     IZ,
                     DU,
                     TR,
                     GenerateRS(ReedSolomonLength)))
    []
    [Not(ReedSolomonRequired)] ->
      exit(MakeVCDU(PH,
                     IZ,
                     DU,
                     TR,
                     NullOS))
  )
)
endproc AddReedSolomon

endproc AddOptionalFields

endproc ErrorControlEncoding
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process Delimiter [delim, bitrate, phys]
    (Link : LinkID,
     BitTransReq : Bool,
     SendBuffer : BitString) : noexit :=
(
    (
        (
            delim ! Link
            ? VCDU : VCDU ;
            (
                [BitTransReq]->
                (
                    BitScrambler[delim] (VCDU)
                    >>
                    accept VCDU : VCDU in
                    Delimiter [delim, bitrate, phys]
                        (Link,
                         BitTransReq,
                         Append(Append(ConvertOSToBS(ConvertVCDUToOS(VCDU)),
                                         ConvertOSToBS(SyncMarker)),
                                SendBuffer))
                )
            []
            [Not(BitTransReq)]->
            (
                Delimiter [delim, bitrate, phys]
                    (Link,
                     BitTransReq,
                     Append(Append(ConvertOSToBS(ConvertVCDUToOS(VCDU)),
                                     ConvertOSToBS(SyncMarker)),
                            SendBuffer))
            )
        )
    []
    (
        bitrate ;
        phys ! Link
        ! GetMSB(SendBuffer) ;
        Delimiter [delim, bitrate, phys] (Link,
                                         BitTransReq,
                                         RemoveMSB(SendBuffer))
    )
)
```

where

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

This process represents the optional Bit Transition Generation which may be applied to Channel Access Data Units (excluding the Synchronisation Marker). The application of the random sequence to the body of the CADU is not explicitly modelled; instead, the process merely passes the VCDU back to the calling process.

```
process BitScrambler [delim] (VCDU : VCDU) : exit (VCDU) :=  
(  
    exit(VCDU)  
)  
endproc BitScrambler  
  
endproc Delimiter
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process VCDUDecommunicator [int, ecdf]
    (Link : LinkID) : noexit :=
(
    ecdf ! Link
        ? VCDU : VCDU ;
    (
        [GetVCID(GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU))) Ne FillVCID] ->
        (
            int ! Link
                ! GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU))
                ! VCDU ;
            VCDUDecommunicator [int, ecdf] (Link)
        )
    []
    [GetVCID(GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU))) Eq FillVCID] ->
    (
        VCDUDecommunicator [int, ecdf] (Link)
    )
)
)
endproc VCDUDecommunicator
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```

process ErrorControlDecoding [ecdf, insert, man, synch]
    (Link : LinkID,
     InsertActive : Bool,
     GenerateInsertLossFlag : Bool,
     InsertSize : Nat,
     InsertErrorChecked : Bool) : noexit :=
(
    synch ! Link
        ? DataUnit : OctetString
        ? SynchLost : Bool ;
(
    BuildVCDU [man] (DataUnit, InsertActive, InsertSize)
    >>
    accept VCDU : VCDU in
(
    [InsertActive And InsertErrorChecked] ->
    (
        (
            (
                [GenerateInsertLossFlag And SynchLost] ->
                (
                    insert ! Link
                        ! GetInsertZone(VCDU)
                        ! INSDULost ;
                    ecdf ! Link
                        ! VCDU ;
                    ErrorControlDecoding [ecdf, insert, man, synch]
                        (Link, InsertActive,
                         GenerateInsertLossFlag,
                         InsertSize,
                         InsertErrorChecked)
                )
            )
        []
        [GenerateInsertLossFlag And (Not(SynchLost))] ->
        (
            insert ! Link
                ! GetInsertZone(VCDU)
                ! INSDUNotLost ;
            ecdf ! Link
                ! VCDU ;
            ErrorControlDecoding [ecdf, insert, man, synch]
                (Link, InsertActive,
                 GenerateInsertLossFlag,
                 InsertSize,
                 InsertErrorChecked)
        )
    )
[])
[Not(GenerateInsertLossFlag)] ->
(
    insert ! Link
        ! GetInsertZone(VCDU) ;
    ecdf ! Link
        ! VCDU ;
    ErrorControlDecoding [ecdf, insert, man, synch]
        (Link, InsertActive,
         GenerateInsertLossFlag,
         InsertSize,
         InsertErrorChecked)
)
)
)
[])

```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
ErrorControlDecoding [ecdf, insert, man, synch]
    (Link, InsertActive,
     GenerateInsertLossFlag,
     InsertSize,
     InsertErrorChecked)
)
[]
[InsertActive And (Not(InsertErrorChecked))] ->
(
(
[GenerateInsertLossFlag And SynchLost] ->
(
(
Insert ! Link
    ! GetInsertZone(VCDU)
    ! INSDULost ;
ecdf ! Link
    ! VCDU ;
ErrorControlDecoding [ecdf, insert, man, synch]
    (Link, InsertActive,
     GenerateInsertLossFlag,
     InsertSize,
     InsertErrorChecked)
)
[])
ErrorControlDecoding [ecdf, insert, man, synch]
    (Link, InsertActive,
     GenerateInsertLossFlag,
     InsertSize,
     InsertErrorChecked)
)
[])
[GenerateInsertLossFlag And (Not(SynchLost))] ->
(
(
Insert ! Link
    ! GetInsertZone(VCDU)
    ! INSDUNotLost ;
ecdf ! Link
    ! VCDU ;
ErrorControlDecoding [ecdf, insert, man, synch]
    (Link, InsertActive,
     GenerateInsertLossFlag,
     InsertSize,
     InsertErrorChecked)
)
[])
ErrorControlDecoding [ecdf, insert, man, synch]
    (Link, InsertActive,
     GenerateInsertLossFlag,
     InsertSize,
     InsertErrorChecked)
)
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
[ ]  
    [Not(GenerateInsertLossFlag)] ->  
        (  
            (  
                Insert ! Link  
                ! GetInsertZone(VCDU) ;  
                ecdf ! Link  
                ! VCDU ;  
                ErrorControlDecoding [ecdf, insert, man, synch]  
                    (Link, InsertActive,  
                     GenerateInsertLossFlag,  
                     InsertSize,  
                     InsertErrorChecked)  
            )  
            []  
            ErrorControlDecoding [ecdf, insert, man, synch]  
                (Link, InsertActive,  
                 GenerateInsertLossFlag,  
                 InsertSize,  
                 InsertErrorChecked)  
        )  
        )  
    )  
    []  
    [Not(InsertActive)] ->  
        (  
            (  
                ecdf ! Link  
                ! VCDU ;  
                ErrorControlDecoding [ecdf, insert, man, synch]  
                    (Link, InsertActive,  
                     GenerateInsertLossFlag,  
                     InsertSize,  
                     InsertErrorChecked)  
            )  
            []  
            ErrorControlDecoding [ecdf, insert, man, synch]  
                (Link, InsertActive,  
                 GenerateInsertLossFlag,  
                 InsertSize,  
                 InsertErrorChecked)  
        )  
        )  
    )  
)
```

where

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process BuildVCDU [man] (DataUnit : OctetString,
                           InsertActive : Bool,
                           InsertSize : Nat) : exit (VCDU) :=
(
  StripHeader [man] (DataUnit)
  >>
  accept PH : VCDUPrimaryHeader,
        DataUnit : OctetString,
        DuzSize : Nat,
        TrailerPresent : Bool,
        OCFPresent : Bool,
        ECFPresent : Bool in
  StripInsert [man] (PH, DataUnit,
                     InsertActive, InsertSize,
                     DUZSize, TrailerPresent,
                     OCFPresent, ECFPresent)
  >>
  accept PH : VCDUPrimaryHeader,
        InsertZone : OctetString,
        DataUnit : OctetString,
        DUZSize : Nat,
        TrailerPresent : Bool,
        OCFPresent : Bool,
        ECFPresent : Bool in
  StripDataZone [man] (PH, InsertZone,
                       DataUnit, DUZSize,
                       TrailerPresent, OCFPresent,
                       ECFPresent)
  >>
  accept PH : VCDUPrimaryHeader,
        InsertZone : OctetString,
        DataUnitZone : OctetString,
        DataUnit : OctetString,
        TrailerPresent : Bool,
        OCFPresent : Bool,
        ECFPresent : Bool in
  StripTrailer [man] (PH, InsertZone,
                      DataUnitZone, DataUnit,
                      TrailerPresent, OCFPresent,
                      ECFPresent)
  >>
  accept PH : VCDUPrimaryHeader,
        InsertZone : OctetString,
        DataUnitZone : OctetString,
        Trailer : VCDUTrailer,
        RS : OctetString in
  exit (MakeVCDU(PH, InsertZone, DataUnitZone, Trailer, RS))
)
```

where

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process StripHeader [man]
    (DataUnit : OctetString) : exit (VCDUPrimaryHeader,
                                     OctetString,
                                     Nat, Bool, Bool, Bool) :=
(
let VN : VersionNumber = MakeVersionNumber(Bit1(First(DataUnit)),
                                             Bit2(First(DataUnit))),
    VCDUID : VCDUID = MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(Bit3(First(DataUnit)),
                                             Bit4(First(DataUnit)),
                                             Bit5(First(DataUnit)),
                                             Bit6(First(DataUnit)),
                                             Bit7(First(DataUnit)),
                                             Bit8(First(DataUnit)),
                                             Bit1(Nth(DataUnit, 2)),
                                             Bit2(Nth(DataUnit, 2))),
                                         MakeVCID(Bit3(Nth(DataUnit, 2)),
                                         Bit4(Nth(DataUnit, 2)),
                                         Bit5(Nth(DataUnit, 2)),
                                         Bit6(Nth(DataUnit, 2)),
                                         Bit7(Nth(DataUnit, 2)),
                                         Bit8(Nth(DataUnit, 2))),
                                         VC : VCDUCounter = MakeVCDUCounter(Nth(DataUnit, 3),
                                         Nth(DataUnit, 4),
                                         Nth(DataUnit, 5)),
                                         SF : SignallingField =
                                         MakeSignallingField(MakeReplayFlag(Bit1(Nth(DataUnit, 6))),
                                         MakeVCDUSpare(Bit2(Nth(DataUnit, 6)),
                                         Bit3(Nth(DataUnit, 6)),
                                         Bit4(Nth(DataUnit, 6)),
                                         Bit5(Nth(DataUnit, 6)),
                                         Bit6(Nth(DataUnit, 6)),
                                         Bit7(Nth(DataUnit, 6)),
                                         Bit8(Nth(DataUnit, 6))),
                                         HEC : OctetString = AddFront(Nth(DataUnit, 7),
                                         AddFront(Nth(DataUnit, 8), NullOS)))
in
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
(  
man ! VCDUID  
? HECPresent : Bool  
? DUZSize : Nat  
? TrailerPresent : Bool  
? OCFPresent : Bool  
? ECFPresent : Bool ;  
(  
[HECPresent] ->  
(  
    exit(MakeVCDUPrimaryHeader(VN,VCDUID,VC,SF,HEC),  
        StripOctets(DataUnit, 8),  
        DUZSize,  
        TrailerPresent,  
        OCFPresent,  
        ECFPresent)  
)  
[]  
[Not(HECPresent)] ->  
(  
    exit(MakeVCDUPrimaryHeader(VN,VCDUID,VC,SF,NullOS),  
        StripOctets(DataUnit, 6),  
        DUZSize,  
        TrailerPresent,  
        OCFPresent,  
        ECFPresent)  
)  
)  
)  
)  
endproc StripHeader
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process StripInsert [man]
    (PH : VCDUPrimaryHeader,
     DataUnit : OctetString,
     InsertActive : Bool,
     InsertSize : Nat,
     DUZSize : Nat,
     TrailerPresent : Bool,
     OCFPresent : Bool,
     ECFPresent : Bool) : exit (VCDUPrimaryHeader,
                                OctetString,
                                OctetString,
                                Nat, Bool, Bool) :=
(
[InsertActive] ->
    exit(PH,
         RetainOctets(DataUnit, InsertSize),
         StripOctets(DataUnit, InsertSize),
         DUZSize,
         TrailerPresent,
         OCFPresent,
         ECFPresent)
[])
[Not(InsertActive)] ->
    exit(PH, NullOS, DataUnit,
         DUZSize,
         TrailerPresent,
         OCFPresent,
         ECFPresent)
)
endproc StripInsert
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process StripDataZone [man]
    (PH : VCDUPrimaryHeader,
     InsertZone : OctetString,
     DataUnit : OctetString,
     DUZSize : Nat,
     TrailerPresent : Bool,
     OCFPresent : Bool,
     ECFPresent : Bool) : exit (VCDUPrimaryHeader,
                                 OctetString,
                                 OctetString,
                                 OctetString,
                                 Bool, Bool, Bool) :=
(
    exit(PH,
         InsertZone,
         RetainOctets(DataUnit, DUZSize),
         StripOctets(DataUnit, DUZSize),
         TrailerPresent,
         OCFPresent,
         ECFPresent)
)
endproc StripDataZone
```

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```
process StripTrailer [man] (PH : VCDUPrimaryHeader,
                           InsertZone : OctetString,
                           DataUnitZone : OctetString,
                           DataUnit : OctetString,
                           TrailerPresent : Bool,
                           OCFPresent : Bool,
                           ECFPresent : Bool) : exit(VCDUPrimaryHeader,
                           OctetString,
                           OctetString,
                           VCDUTrailer,
                           OctetString) :=

(
[TrailerPresent] ->
(
[OCFPresent And ECFPresent] ->
    exit(PH,
        InsertZone,
        DataUnitZone,
        MakeVCDUTrailer(AddFront(First(DataUnit),
                                  AddFront(Nth(DataUnit, 2),
                                  AddFront(Nth(DataUnit, 3),
                                  AddFront(Nth(DataUnit, 4), NullOS)))),
        AddFront(Nth(DataUnit, 5),
        AddFront(Nth(DataUnit, 6), NullOS))),
        StripOctets(DataUnit, 6))
[])
[OCFPresent And Not(ECFPresent)] ->
    exit(PH,
        InsertZone,
        DataUnitZone,
        MakeVCDUTrailer(AddFront(First(DataUnit),
                                  AddFront(Nth(DataUnit, 2),
                                  AddFront(Nth(DataUnit, 3),
                                  AddFront(Nth(DataUnit, 4), NullOS)))),
        NullOS),
        StripOctets(DataUnit, 4))
[])
[Not(OCFPresent) And ECFPresent] ->
    exit(PH,
        InsertZone,
        DataUnitZone,
        MakeVCDUTrailer(NullOS,
                        AddFront(First(DataUnit),
                        AddFront(Nth(DataUnit, 2), NullOS))),
        StripOctets(DataUnit, 2))
)
[]
[Not(TrailerPresent)] ->
    exit(PH, InsertZone, DataUnitZone, NullTrailer, DataUnit)
)
endproc StripTrailer

endproc BuildVCDU

endproc ErrorControlDecoding
```

# RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```

process Synchroniser [synch, phys] (Link : LinkID,
                                    SyncSearch : BitString,
                                    BitTransReq : Bool,
                                    VCAPDUSize : Nat,
                                    SynchWasLost : Bool) : noexit :=
(
  phys ! Link
    ? BitIn : Bit ;
  (
  [AddLSB(BitIn, SyncSearch) Eq ConvertOSToBS(SyncMarker)] ->
  (
    GetVCAPDU [synch, phys] (Link,
                              VCAPDUSize,
                              NullOS,
                              SynchWasLost,
                              BitTransReq)
  >>
  Synchroniser [synch, phys] (Link,
                             NullBS,
                             BitTransReq,
                             VCAPDUSize,
                             False)
  )
  []
  [AddLSB(BitIn, SyncSearch) Ne ConvertOSToBS(SyncMarker)] ->
  (
  [LengthOf(SyncSearch) Lt Pred(8*4)] ->
  (
    Synchroniser [phys, synch]
      (Link,
       AddLSB(BitIn, SyncSearch),
       BitTransReq,
       VCAPDUSize,
       False)
  )
  []
  [LengthOf(SyncSearch) Eq Pred(8*4)] ->
  (
    Synchroniser [phys, synch]
      (Link,
       AddLSB(BitIn, RemoveMSB(SyncSearch)),
       BitTransReq,
       VCAPDUSize,
       True)
  )
)
)

```

where

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```

process GetVCAPDU [synch, phys] (Link : LinkID,
                                 VCAPDUSize : Nat,
                                 OctetBuffer : OctetString,
                                 SynchWasLost : Bool,
                                 BitTransReq : Bool) : exit :=
(
  [VCAPDUSize Eq 0] ->
  (
    [BitTransReq]->
    (
      BitDeScrambler[synch] (OctetBuffer)
      >>
      accept Buffer : OctetString in
      synch ! Link
      ! Buffer
      ! SynchWasLost ;
      exit
    )
  []
  [Not(BitTransReq)]->
  (
    synch ! Link
    ! OctetBuffer
    ! SynchWasLost ;
    exit
  )
)
[]
[VCAPDUSize Gt 0] ->
(
  ReadOctet [phys] (NatNum(0),
                     Link,
                     Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0))
  >>
  accept Octet : Octet in
  GetVCAPDU [synch, phys] (Link,
                           Pred(VCAPDUSize),
                           Append(AddFront(Octet, Nullos), OctetBuffer),
                           SynchWasLost,
                           BitTransReq)
)
)

```

where

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process ReadOctet [phys] (BitCounter : Nat,
                           Link : LinkID,
                           BitBuffer : Octet) : exit (Octet) :=
(
[BitCounter Eq 0] ->
(
  phys ! Link
  ? BitIn : Bit ;
  ReadOctet [phys] (Succ(BitCounter), Link,
                    Octet(BitIn, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0))
)
[]

[BitCounter Eq 1] ->
(
  phys ! Link
  ? BitIn : Bit ;
  ReadOctet [phys] (Succ(BitCounter), Link,
                    Octet(Bit1(BitBuffer), BitIn, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0))
)
[]

[BitCounter Eq 2] ->
(
  phys ! Link
  ? BitIn : Bit ;
  ReadOctet [phys] (Succ(BitCounter), Link,
                    Octet(Bit1(BitBuffer), Bit2(BitBuffer), BitIn,
                          0, 0, 0, 0, 0))
)
[]

[BitCounter Eq 3] ->
(
  phys ! Link
  ? BitIn : Bit ;
  ReadOctet [phys] (Succ(BitCounter), Link,
                    Octet(Bit1(BitBuffer), Bit2(BitBuffer), Bit3(BitBuffer),
                          BitIn, 0, 0, 0, 0))
)
[]

[BitCounter Eq 4] ->
(
  phys ! Link
  ? BitIn : Bit ;
  ReadOctet [phys] (Succ(BitCounter), Link,
                    Octet(Bit1(BitBuffer), Bit2(BitBuffer), Bit3(BitBuffer),
                          Bit4(BitBuffer), BitIn, 0, 0, 0))
)
[]
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
[BitCounter Eq 5] ->
(
phys ! Link
? BitIn : Bit ;
ReadOctet [phys] (Succ(BitCounter), Link,
Octet(Bit1(BitBuffer), Bit2(BitBuffer), Bit3(BitBuffer),
Bit4(BitBuffer), Bit5(BitBuffer), BitIn, 0, 0))
)
[]
[BitCounter Eq 6] ->
(
phys ! Link
? BitIn : Bit ;
ReadOctet [phys] (Succ(BitCounter), Link,
Octet(Bit1(BitBuffer), Bit2(BitBuffer), Bit3(BitBuffer),
Bit4(BitBuffer), Bit5(BitBuffer), Bit6(BitBuffer),
BitIn, 0))
)
[]
[BitCounter Eq 7] ->
(
phys ! Link
? BitIn : Bit ;
ReadOctet [phys] (Succ(BitCounter), Link,
Octet(Bit1(BitBuffer), Bit2(BitBuffer), Bit3(BitBuffer),
Bit4(BitBuffer), Bit5(BitBuffer), Bit6(BitBuffer),
Bit7(BitBuffer), BitIn))
)
[]
[BitCounter Eq 8] ->
(
exit (BitBuffer)
)
)

endproc ReadOctet
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

This process represents the optional Bit Transition Removal which is necessary if Bit Transition Generation has been applied to Channel Access Data Units (excluding the Synchronisation Marker). The application of the random sequence to the body of the CADU is not explicitly modelled; instead, the process merely passes the VCDU back to the calling process.

```
process BitDeScrambler [synch] (Buffer : OctetString) : exit (OctetString) :=
(
    exit (Buffer)
)

endproc BitDeScrambler

endproc GetVCAPDU

endproc Synchroniser

endproc ChannelAccessProceduralEntity

endproc ChannelAccessProcedures

endspec
```

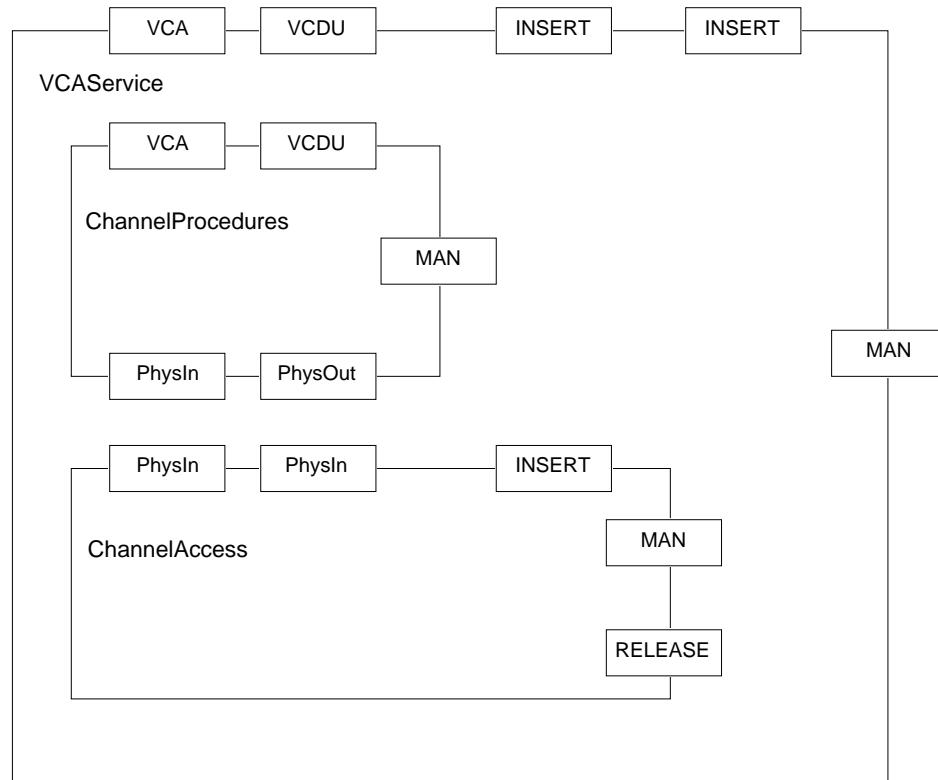
### 3 VIRTUAL CHANNEL ACCESS SERVICE

```

specification VCAService [vca, vcdu, insert, man, release]
    (InsertLossFlags : Bool) : noexit

library VCDU, OctetString, VCDUCounter, VCDUHeaderErrorControl,
    VCDUID, Boolean, Bit, NaturalNumber, VCDULossFlag,
    InsertLossFlag  endlib

```



**Figure 3-1: Internal Breakdown of LOTOS Specification**

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```

type UpperLayer is Boolean
sorts UpperLayer
opns  VCALayer      : -> UpperLayer
      VCDULayer     : -> UpperLayer
      SLAPLayer      : -> UpperLayer
      _Eq_           : UpperLayer, UpperLayer -> Bool
      _Ne_           : UpperLayer, UpperLayer -> Bool
eqns  forall x, y : UpperLayer
      ofsort Bool
      VCALayer Eq VCALayer      = True ;
      VCALayer Eq VCDULayer     = False ;
      VCALayer Eq SLAPLayer     = False ;
      VCDULayer Eq VCALayer     = False ;
      VCDULayer Eq VCDULayer    = True ;
      VCDULayer Eq SLAPLayer    = False ;
      SLAPLayer Eq VCALayer     = False ;
      SLAPLayer Eq VCDULayer    = False ;
      SLAPLayer Eq SLAPLayer    = True ;
      x Ne y             = Not(x Eq y) ;
endtype

type LinkID is Bit, Boolean
sorts LinkID
opns  NullLINKID       : -> LinkID
      Add            : Bit, LinkID -> LinkID
      _Eq_           : LinkID, LinkID -> Bool
      _Ne_           : LinkID, LinkID -> Bool
eqns  forall b1, b2 : Bit, LINKID1, LINKID2 : LinkID
      ofsort Bool
      NullLINKID Eq NullLINKID      = True ;
      NullLINKID Eq Add(b1, LINKID1) = False ;
      Add(b1, LINKID1) Eq NullLINKID = False ;
      Add(b1, LINKID1) Eq Add(b2, LINKID2) = (b1 Eq b2) And (LINKID1 Eq LINKID2) ;
      LINKID1 Ne LINKID2          = Not(LINKID1 Eq LINKID2) ;
endtype

type LINKIDList is LinkID
sorts LINKIDList
opns  NullLINKIDList   : -> LINKIDList
      Add            : LinkID, LINKIDList -> LINKIDList
      Tail           : LINKIDList -> LINKIDList
      Head           : LINKIDList -> LinkID
eqns  forall x, y : LinkID, l : LINKIDList
      ofsort LinkID
      Head(NullLINKIDList)        = NullLINKID ;
      Head(Add(x, NullLINKIDList)) = x ;
      Head(Add(x, Add(y, l)))    = Head(Add(y, l)) ;
      ofsort LINKIDList
      Tail(NullLINKIDList)        = NullLINKIDList ;
      Tail(Add(x, NullLINKIDList)) = NullLINKIDList ;
      Tail(Add(x, Add(y, l)))    = Add(x, Tail(Add(y, l))) ;
endtype

```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```

type VCDUQueue is VCDU, VCDUID
sorts VCDUQueue
opns create   : -> VCDUQueue
        AddBack : VCDU, VCDUQueue -> VCDUQueue
        remove   : VCDUID, VCDUQueue -> VCDUQueue
        withdraw  : VCDUID, VCDUQueue -> VCDUQueue
        expedite  : VCDUID, VCDUQueue -> VCDU
        first    : VCDUQueue -> VCDU
        tail     : VCDUQueue -> VCDUQueue
        reverse   : VCDUQueue -> VCDUQueue
eqns forall x, y : VCDUID, p, q : VCDU, z : VCDUQueue

ofsort VCDU

first(create)           = NullVCDU ;
first(AddBack(p, create)) = p ;
first(AddBack(p, AddBack(q, z))) = first(AddBack(q, z)) ;

expedite(x, create)      = NullVCDU ;

GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(first(z))) Eq x =>
expedite(x, z)           = first(z) ;

GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(first(z))) Ne x =>
expedite(x, z)           = expedite(x,
remove(GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(first(z))), z)) ;
ofsort VCDUQueue

tail(create)             = create ;
tail(AddBack(p, create)) = create ;
tail(AddBack(p, z))      = AddBack(p, tail(z)) ;

remove(x, create)        = create ;

GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(first(z))) Eq x =>
remove(x, z)              = tail(z) ;

GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(first(z))) Ne x =>
remove(x, z)              = reverse(withdraw(x, z)) ;
withdraw(x, create)       = create ;

GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(first(z))) Eq x =>
withdraw(x, z)             = reverse(tail(z)) ;

GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(first(z))) Ne x =>
withdraw(x, z)             = AddBack(first(z),
withdraw(x, tail(z))) ;

reverse(create)           = create ;
reverse(z)                = AddBack(first(z), reverse(tail(z))) ;
endtype

```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

behaviour

```
VCAService [vca, vcd, insert, man, release]  
          (InsertLossFlags)
```

where

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process VCAService [vca, vcd, insert, man, release]
    (InsertLossFlags : Bool) : noexit :=
(
    hide ChanIn, ChanOut in
    ChannelProcedures [vca, vcd, insert, man, ChanIn, ChanOut]
    | [ChanIn, ChanOut] |
    ChannelAccess [ChanIn, ChanOut, insert, man, release] (InsertLossFlags)
)
where
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process ChannelProcedures [vca, vcd, insert, man, ChanIn, ChanOut] : noexit :=
(
    man ? VCDUID : VCDUID
    ? UpperLayer : UpperLayer
    ? RequiredLength : Nat
    ? InsertActive : Bool
    ? InsertErrorChecked : Bool
    ? Links : LINKIDList ;
    (
        [UpperLayer Eq VCDULayer] ->
        (
            VCDUChannel [vcd, ChanIn, ChanOut]
            (VCDUID,
             RequiredLength,
             Links)
            |||
            ChannelProcedures [vca, vcd, insert, man, ChanIn, ChanOut]
        )
    []
    [UpperLayer Eq VCALayer] ->
    (
        VCAChannel [vca, insert, ChanIn, ChanOut]
        (VCDUID,
         RequiredLength,
         InsertActive,
         InsertErrorChecked,
         Links,
         MakeVCDUCounter(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                         Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                         Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0)))
        |||
        ChannelProcedures [vca, vcd, insert, man, ChanIn, ChanOut]
    )
)
)
```

where

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process VCDUChannel [vcdu, ChanIn, ChanOut]
  (VCDUID : VCDUID,
   RequiredLength : Nat,
   Links : LINKIDList) : noexit :=
(
  VCDUSource [vcdu, ChanIn] (VCDUID,
    RequiredLength,
    Links)
  |||
  VCDUSink [ChanOut, vcdu] (VCDUID)
)
```

where

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process VCDUSource [vcdu, ChanIn]
    (VCDUID : VCDUID,
     RequiredLength : Nat,
     Links : LINKIDList) : noexit :=
(
    vcdus ! VCDUID
    ? VCDU : VCDU [LengthOf(ConvertVCDUToOS(VCDU)) Eq RequiredLength] ;
    DespatchVCDUs [ChanIn] (VCDU, VCDUID, Links)
    >>
    VCDUSource [vcdu, ChanIn]
        (VCDUID,
         RequiredLength,
         Links)
)
endproc VCDUSource
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process VCDUSink [ChanOut, vcdul]
    (VCDUID : VCDUID) : noexit :=
(
    ChanOut ? Link : LinkID
    ! VCDUID
    ? VCDU : VCDU ;
    vcdul ! VCDUID
    ! VCDU ;
    VCDUSink [ChanOut, vcdul] (VCDUID)
)
endproc VCDUSink

endproc VCDUChannel
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process VCACChannel [vca, insert, ChanIn, ChanOut]
    (VCDUID           : VCDUID,
     RequiredLength   : Nat,
     InsertActive     : Bool,
     InsertErrorChecked : Bool,
     Links            : LINKIDList,
     Counter          : VCDUCounter) : noexit :=
(
    VCASource [vca, ChanIn]
    (VCDUID,
     RequiredLength,
     Links,
     Counter)
    |||
    VCASink [ChanOut, vca, insert]
    (VCDUID,
     InsertActive,
     InsertErrorChecked,
     Counter)
)
where
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process VCASource [vca, ChanIn]
    (VCDUID : VCDUID,
     RequiredLength : Nat,
     Links : LINKIDLIST,
     Counter : VCDUCounter) : noexit :=
(
    vca ! VCDUID
    ? VCASDU : OctetString [LengthOf(VCASDU) Eq RequiredLength] ;
    DespatchVCDUs [ChanIn]
        (MakeVCDU(MakeVCDUPrimaryHeader
                    (Version2,
                     VCDUID,
                     Counter,
                     MakeSignallingField(RealTimeVCDU,
                                         VCDUSpare),
                     NoVCDUHEC),
                    NullOS,
                    VCASDU,
                    NullTrailer,
                    NullOS),
         VCDUID,
         Links)
    >>
    VCASource [vca, ChanIn]
        (VCDUID,
         RequiredLength,
         Links,
         Next(Counter))
)
endproc VCASource
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```

process VCASink [ChanOut, vca, insert]
    (VCDUID : VCDUID,
     InsertActive : Bool,
     InsertErrorChecked : Bool,
     Counter : VCDUCounter) : noexit :=
(
    ChanOut ? Link : LinkID
        ! VCDUID
        ? VCDU : VCDU ;
    (
        [InsertActive And InsertErrorChecked]->
        (
            [(GetVCDUCounter(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU)) Eq Counter)] ->
            (
                vca ! VCDUID
                    ! GetVCASDU(VCDU)
                    ! VCDUNotLost ;
                insert ! Link
                    ! GetInsertZone(VCDU) ;
                VCASink [ChanOut, vca, insert]
                    (VCDUID,
                     InsertActive,
                     InsertErrorChecked,
                     Next(Counter))
            )
        )
    []
    [(GetVCDUCounter(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU)) Ne Counter)] ->
    (
        vca ! VCDUID
            ! GetVCASDU(VCDU)
            ! VCDULost ;
        insert ! Link
            ! GetInsertZone(VCDU) ;
        VCASink [ChanOut, vca, insert]
            (VCDUID,
             InsertActive,
             InsertErrorChecked,
             Next(GetVCDUCounter(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU))))
    )
)
[])
[Not(InsertActive) or Not(InsertErrorChecked)]->
(
    [(GetVCDUCounter(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU)) Eq Counter)] ->
    (
        vca ! VCDUID
            ! GetVCASDU(VCDU)
            ! VCDUNotLost ;
        VCASink [ChanOut, vca, insert]
            (VCDUID,
             InsertActive,
             InsertErrorChecked,
             Next(Counter))
    )
[])
[(GetVCDUCounter(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU)) Ne Counter)] ->
(
    vca ! VCDUID
        ! GetVCASDU(VCDU)
        ! VCDULost ;
    VCASink [ChanOut, vca, insert]
        (VCDUID,

```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
        InsertActive,
        InsertErrorChecked,
        Next(GetVCDUCounter(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU)) )
    )
)
)
)
endproc VCASink

endproc VCACchannel
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process DespatchVCDUs [ChanIn] (VCDU : VCDU,
                                VirtualChannel : VCDUID,
                                Links : LINKIDList) : exit :=
(
[Head(Links) Eq NullLINKID] ->
(
    exit
)
[])
[Head(Links) Ne NullLINKID] ->
(
    ChanIn ! Head(Links)
    ! VirtualChannel
    ! VCDU ;
    DespatchVCDUs [ChanIn] (VCDU, VirtualChannel, Tail(Links))
)
)
endproc DespatchVCDUs

endproc ChannelProcedures
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process ChannelAccess [ChanIn, ChanOut, insert, man, release]
    (InsertLossFlags : Bool) : noexit :=
(
    man ? Link : LinkID
    ? InsertActive : Bool
    ? InsertSize : Nat
    ? InsertErrorChecked : Bool ;
(
    ChannelAccessEntity [ChanIn, ChanOut, insert, release]
    (InsertLossFlags,
     Link,
     InsertActive,
     InsertSize,
     InsertErrorChecked,
     create,
     False)
    |||
    ChannelAccess [ChanIn, ChanOut, insert, man, release]
    (InsertLossFlags)
)
)

where
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```

process ChannelAccessEntity [ChanIn, ChanOut, insert, release]
  (InsertLossFlags : Bool,
   Link : LinkID,
   InsertActive : Bool,
   InsertSize : Nat,
   InsertErrorChecked : Bool,
   Queue : VCDUQueue,
   SyncWasLost : Bool) : noexit :=
(
(
  ChanIn ! Link
  ? VCDUID : VCDUID
  ? VCDU : VCDU ;
ChannelAccessEntity [ChanIn, ChanOut, insert, release]
  (InsertLossFlags,
   Link,
   InsertActive,
   InsertSize,
   InsertErrorChecked,
   AddBack(VCDU, Queue),
   SyncWasLost)
)
[ ]
(
  release ! Link
  ? VCDUID : VCDUID ;
(
  [expedite(VCDUID, Queue) Ne NullVCDU] ->
  (
    [InsertActive] ->
    (
      insert ! Link
      ? INSDU : OctetString [LengthOf(INSDU) Eq
                                InsertSize] ;
      ChannelErrors [ChanOut, insert]
        (SetInsertZone(INSDU,
                      expedite(VCDUID, Queue)),
         Link,
         InsertActive,
         InsertLossFlags,
         InsertErrorChecked,
         SyncWasLost)
      >> accept SyncState : Bool in
      ChannelAccessEntity [ChanIn, ChanOut,
                           insert, release]
        (InsertLossFlags,
         Link,
         InsertActive,
         InsertSize,
         InsertErrorChecked,
         remove(VCDUID, Queue),
         SyncState)
    )
  [ ]
  [Not(InsertActive)] ->
  (
    ChannelErrors [ChanOut, insert]
      (expedite(VCDUID, Queue),
       Link,
       InsertActive,
       InsertLossFlags,
       InsertErrorChecked,
       SyncWasLost)
    >> accept SyncState : Bool in
  )
)
)

```

# RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```

ChannelAccessEntity [ChanIn, ChanOut,
                     insert, release]
                     (InsertLossFlags,
                      Link,
                      InsertActive,
                      InsertSize,
                      InsertErrorChecked,
                      remove(VCDUID, Queue),
                      SyncState)
                  )
                )
  [ ]
  [expedite(VCDUID, Queue) Eq NullVCDU] ->
  (
    [InsertActive] ->
    (
      insert ! Link
      ? INSDU : OctetString [LengthOf(INSDU) Eq
                             InsertSize];
      ChannelErrors [ChanOut, insert]
      (SetInsertZone
       (INSDU,
        MakeFillVCDU(AddFront
                      (Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                       NullOS), succ(0))),
       Link,
       InsertActive,
       InsertLossFlags,
       InsertErrorChecked,
       SyncWasLost)
      >> accept SyncState : Bool in
      ChannelAccessEntity [ChanIn, ChanOut,
                           insert, release]
                           (InsertLossFlags,
                            Link,
                            InsertActive,
                            InsertSize,
                            InsertErrorChecked,
                            Queue,
                            SyncState)
    )
  [ ]
  [Not(InsertActive)] ->
  ChannelAccessEntity [ChanIn, ChanOut,
                     insert, release]
                     (InsertLossFlags,
                      Link,
                      InsertActive,
                      InsertSize,
                      InsertErrorChecked,
                      Queue,
                      SyncWasLost)
        )
      )
    )
  )
)

```

where

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```

process ChannelErrors [ChanOut, insert]
    (VCDU : VCDU,
     Link : LinkID,
     InsertActive : Bool,
     InsertLossFlags,
     InsertErrorChecked : Bool,
     SyncWasLost : Bool) : exit (Bool) :=
(
[Not(InsertErrorChecked) And InsertActive] ->
(
(
[SyncWasLost and InsertLossFlags]->
(
    insert ! Link
        ! GetInsertZone(VCDU)
        ! INSDULost;
(
[GetVCID(GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU)))
Ne FillVCID] ->
(
    ChanOut ! Link
        ! GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU))
        ! VCDU ;
    exit (False)
)
[])
[GetVCID(GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU)))
Eq FillVCID] ->
(
    exit (False)
)
)
)
[])
[Not(SyncWasLost) And InsertLossFlags]->
(
    insert ! Link
        ! GetInsertZone(VCDU)
        ! INSDUNotLost ;
(
[GetVCID(GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU)))
Ne FillVCID] ->
(
    ChanOut ! Link
        ! GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU))
        ! VCDU ;
    exit (False)
)
[])
[GetVCID(GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU)))
Eq FillVCID] ->
(
    exit (False)
)
)
)
[])
[Not(InsertLossFlags)]->
(
    insert ! Link
        ! GetInsertZone(VCDU) ;
(

```

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```

[GetVCID(GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU)))
 Ne FillVCID] ->
 (
 ChanOut ! Link
 ! GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU))
 ! VCDU ;
 exit (False)
 )
 []
 [GetVCID(GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU)))
 Eq FillVCID] ->
 (
 exit (False)
 )
 )
 []
 [
 (
 [SyncWasLost And InsertLossFlags]->
 (
 insert ! Link
 ! GetInsertZone(VCDU)
 ! INSDULost ;
 exit (False)
 )
 []
 [Not(SyncWasLost) And InsertLossFlags]->
 (
 insert ! Link
 ! GetInsertZone(VCDU)
 ! INSDUNotLost ;
 exit (False)
 )
 []
 [Not(InsertLossFlags)]->
 (
 insert ! Link
 ! GetInsertZone(VCDU) ;
 exit (False)
 )
 )
 []
 (
 exit (True)
 )
 )
 []
 [InsertErrorChecked or Not(InsertActive)] ->
 (
 (
 ChanOut ! Link
 ! GetVCDUID(GetVCDUPrimaryHeader(VCDU))
 ! VCDU ;
 exit (False)
 )
 []
 (
 exit (True)
 )
 )
)

```

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```
endproc ChannelErrors  
endproc ChannelAccessEntity  
endproc ChannelAccess  
endproc VCAService  
endspec
```

**ANNEX A**  
**VCA PROTOCOL AND SERVICE TESTS**

(THIS ANNEX IS NOT PART OF THE RECOMMENDATION)

**Purpose:**

This Annex details procedures for testing the VCA protocol and service.

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

### Virtual Channel Access Protocol Test 1

Name: VCA\_SDU Length Check.

Description: The Channel Access Data Units (CADUs) for a Physical Channel must be of a fixed length over the lifetime of that channel [5.4.10.1]. The VCA Sublayer must therefore only accept VCA\_SDUs which exactly fit the data zone of the VCDU/CVCDU to be transmitted over the Physical Channel in question.

Inputs: A VCA\_UNITDATA.request with a VCA\_SDU which exceeds a certain length X.

Configuration: Management information such that the required length of the VCDU/CVCDU data zone is Y, where  $Y < X$ .

Expected Results: This input should be rejected.

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process vcapt1 : noexit :=
hide vca, vcd, man, slap, int in
(
    test [vca, vcd, man, slap, int]
    | [vca, vcd, man, slap, int] |
    VirtualChannelProcedures [vca, vcd, man, slap, int]
)
where

process test [vca, vcd, man, slap, int] : exit :=
hide success, failure in
(
    man ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                        MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
    ! OutGoing
    ! Succ(Succ(8))
    ! VCALayer
    ! NullLINKIDList ;

    (
        (
            vca ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                                MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
            ! AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0), NullOS) ;
        failure ;
        exit
    )
    []
    (
        success ;
        exit
    )
)
endproc test

endproc vcapt1
```

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### Virtual Channel Access Protocol Test 2a

Name: VCDU/CVCDU format.

Description: Each VCDU-ID has associated with it a number of parameters defining (among other things) presence or absence of Reed-Solomon check symbols, presence or absence of SLAP protocol fields, presence or absence of VCDU Header Error field, presence or absence of Insert Zone (and length) and the presence or absence of the VCDU Trailer field (and its contents). Each of these parameters affect the VCDU/CVCDU format.

Inputs: Correctly formatted VCA\_UNITDATA.request.

Configuration: The configuration data should be arranged to test the production of each field in turn, i.e., each field should be set to both true and then to false, and the outputs compared.

Expected Results: The generated VCDU/CVCDUs should be formatted as per the configuration data.

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```

process vcapt2a (InsertErrorChecked : Bool,
                 GenerateInsertLossFlag : Bool,
                 FillPattern : OctetString) : noexit :=
hide insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int in
(
    test [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
  | [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]|
  ChannelAccessProcedures [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
    (InsertErrorChecked,
     GenerateInsertLossFlag,
     FillPattern)
)
where
process test [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int] : exit :=
hide success, failure in
(
    man ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
      ! 2*8          (* VCPDUSize *)
      ! 4           (* DUZLength *)
      ! False        (* InsertActive *)
      ! 2           (* InsertSize *)
      ! False        (* BitTransReq *)
      ! OutGoing ;

    int ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
      ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                    MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
      ! MakeVCDU(MakeVCDUPrimaryHeader
                  (Version2,
                   MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                               MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)),
                   MakeVCDUCounter(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                   Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                   Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0)),
                   MakeSignallingField(RealTimeVCDU,
                                       VCDUSpare),
                   VCDUHEC),
                  NullOS,
                  AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1),
                            AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,0),
                                      AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,1),
                                                AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,0), NullOS)))),
                  NullTrailer,
                  NullOS);
    release ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
      ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                    MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)) ;

    man ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
      ! True   (* HEC Required *)
      ! True   (* Trailer Present *)
      ! True   (* VCDUErrorControl Required *)
      ! True   (* Operational Control Field Present *)
      ! True   (* Reed Solomon Required *)
      ! 2      (* Reed Solomon Length *) ;

    success ;
    exit
)
endproc test
endproc vcapt2a

```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

### Virtual Channel Access Protocol Test 2b

Name: VCDU/CVCDU format.

Description: Each VCDU-ID has associated with it a number of parameters defining (among other things) presence or absence of Reed-Solomon check symbols, presence or absence of SLAP protocol fields, presence or absence of VCDU Header Error field, presence or absence of Insert Zone (and length) and the presence or absence of the VCDU Trailer field (and its contents). Each of these parameters affect the VCDU/CVCDU format.

Inputs: Correctly formatted VCA\_UNITDATA.request.

Configuration: The configuration data should be arranged to test the production of each field in turn, i.e., each field should be set to both true and then to false, and the outputs compared.

Expected Results: The generated VCDU/CVCDUs should be formatted as per the configuration data.

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```

process vcapt2b (InsertErrorChecked : Bool,
                 GenerateInsertLossFlag : Bool,
                 FillPattern : OctetString) : noexit :=
hide insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int in
(
    test [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
    | [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]|
    ChannelAccessProcedures [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
        (InsertErrorChecked,
         GenerateInsertLossFlag,
         FillPattern)
)
where
process test [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int] : exit :=
hide success, failure in
(
    man ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! 2*8          (* VCPDUSize *)
        ! 4           (* DUZLength *)
        ! False        (* InsertActive *)
        ! 2            (* InsertSize *)
        ! False        (* BitTransReq *)
        ! OutGoing ;

    int ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
        ! MakeVCDU(MakeVCDUPrimaryHeader
                    (Version2,
                     MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                                 MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)),
                     MakeVCDUCounter(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                     Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                     Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0)),
                     MakeSignallingField(RealTimeVCDU,
                                         VCDUSpare),
                     VCDUHEC),
                    NullOS,
                    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1),
                            AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,0),
                                    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,1),
                                            AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,0), NullOS)))),
                    NullTrailer,
                    NullOS) ;
    release ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)) ;

    man ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
        ! True   (* HEC Required *)
        ! True   (* Trailer Present *)
        ! True   (* VCDUErrorControl Required *)
        ! True   (* Operational Control Field Present *)
        ! False  (* Reed Solomon Required *)
        ! 2      (* Reed Solomon Length *) ;

    success ;
    exit
)
endproc test
endproc vcapt2b

```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

### Virtual Channel Access Protocol Test 2c

Name: VCDU/CVCDU format.

Description: Each VCDU-ID has associated with it a number of parameters defining (among other things) presence or absence of Reed-Solomon check symbols, presence or absence of SLAP protocol fields, presence or absence of VCDU Header Error field, presence or absence of Insert Zone (and length) and the presence or absence of the VCDU Trailer field (and its contents). Each of these parameters affect the VCDU/CVCDU format.

Inputs: Correctly formatted VCA\_UNITDATA.request.

Configuration: The configuration data should be arranged to test the production of each field in turn, i.e., each field should be set to both true and then to false, and the outputs compared.

Expected Results: The generated VCDU/CVCDUs should be formatted as per the configuration data.

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```

process vcapt2c (InsertErrorChecked : Bool,
                 GenerateInsertLossFlag : Bool,
                 FillPattern : OctetString) : noexit :=
hide insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int in
(
    test [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
    | [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]|
    ChannelAccessProcedures [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
        (InsertErrorChecked,
         GenerateInsertLossFlag,
         FillPattern)
)
where
process test [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int] : exit :=
hide success, failure in
(
    man ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! 2*8          (* VCPDUSize *)
        ! 4           (* DUZLength *)
        ! False        (* InsertActive *)
        ! 2            (* InsertSize *)
        ! False        (* BitTransReq *)
        ! OutGoing ;

    int ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
        ! MakeVCDU(MakeVCDUPrimaryHeader
                    (Version2,
                     MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                                 MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)),
                     MakeVCDUCounter(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                     Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                     Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0)),
                     MakeSignallingField(RealTimeVCDU,
                                         VCDUSpare),
                     VCDUHEC),
                    NullOS,
                    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1),
                            AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,0),
                                    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,1),
                                            AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,0), NullOS)))),
                    NullTrailer,
                    NullOS) ;
    release ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)) ;

    man ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
        ! True   (* HEC Required *)
        ! True   (* Trailer Present *)
        ! True   (* VCDUErrorControl Required *)
        ! False  (* Operational Control Field Present *)
        ! False  (* Reed Solomon Required *)
        ! 2      (* Reed Solomon Length *) ;

    success ;
    exit
)
endproc test
endproc vcapt2c

```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

### Virtual Channel Access Protocol Test 2d

Name: VCDU/CVCDU format.

Description: Each VCDU-ID has associated with it a number of parameters defining (among other things) presence or absence of Reed-Solomon check symbols, presence or absence of SLAP protocol fields, presence or absence of VCDU Header Error field, presence or absence of Insert Zone (and length) and the presence or absence of the VCDU Trailer field (and its contents). Each of these parameters affect the VCDU/CVCDU format.

Inputs: Correctly formatted VCA\_UNITDATA.request.

Configuration: The configuration data should be arranged to test the production of each field in turn, i.e., each field should be set to both true and then to false, and the outputs compared.

Expected Results: The generated VCDU/CVCDUs should be formatted as per the configuration data.

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```

process vcapt2d (InsertErrorChecked : Bool,
                 GenerateInsertLossFlag : Bool,
                 FillPattern : OctetString) : noexit :=
hide insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int in
(
    test [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
    | [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]|
    ChannelAccessProcedures [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
        (InsertErrorChecked,
         GenerateInsertLossFlag,
         FillPattern)
)
where
process test [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int] : exit :=
hide success, failure in
(
    man ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! 2*8          (* VCPDUSize *)
        ! 4           (* DUZLength *)
        ! False        (* InsertActive *)
        ! 2           (* InsertSize *)
        ! False        (* BitTransReq *)
        ! OutGoing ;

    int ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
        ! MakeVCDU(MakeVCDUPrimaryHeader
                    (Version2,
                     MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                                 MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)),
                     MakeVCDUCounter(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                     Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                     Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0)),
                     MakeSignallingField(RealTimeVCDU,
                                         VCDUSpare),
                     VCDUHEC),
                    NullOS,
                    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1),
                            AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,0),
                                    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,1),
                                            AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,0), NullOS)))),
                    NullTrailer,
                    NullOS) ;
    release ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)) ;

    man ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
        ! True   (* HEC Required *)
        ! True   (* Trailer Present *)
        ! False  (* VCDUErrorControl Required *)
        ! True   (* Operational Control Field Present *)
        ! True   (* Reed Solomon Required *)
        ! 2      (* Reed Solomon Length *) ;

    success ;
    exit
)
endproc test
endproc vcapt2d

```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

### Virtual Channel Access Protocol Test 2e

Name: VCDU/CVCDU format.

Description: Each VCDU-ID has associated with it a number of parameters defining (among other things) presence or absence of Reed-Solomon check symbols, presence or absence of SLAP protocol fields, presence or absence of VCDU Header Error field, presence or absence of Insert Zone (and length) and the presence or absence of the VCDU Trailer field (and its contents). Each of these parameters affect the VCDU/CVCDU format.

Inputs: Correctly formatted VCA\_UNITDATA.request.

Configuration: The configuration data should be arranged to test the production of each field in turn, i.e., each field should be set to both true and then to false, and the outputs compared.

Expected Results: The generated VCDU/CVCDUs should be formatted as per the configuration data.

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```

process vcapt2e (InsertErrorChecked : Bool,
                 GenerateInsertLossFlag : Bool,
                 FillPattern : OctetString) : noexit :=
hide insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int in
(
    test [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
    | [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]|
    ChannelAccessProcedures [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
        (InsertErrorChecked,
         GenerateInsertLossFlag,
         FillPattern)
)
where
process test [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int] : exit :=
hide success, failure in
(
    man ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! 2*8          (* VCPDUSize *)
        ! 4           (* DUZLength *)
        ! False        (* InsertActive *)
        ! 2           (* InsertSize *)
        ! False        (* BitTransReq *)
        ! OutGoing ;

    int ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
        ! MakeVCDU(MakeVCDUPrimaryHeader
                    (Version2,
                     MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                                 MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)),
                     MakeVCDUCounter(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                     Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                     Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0)),
                     MakeSignallingField(RealTimeVCDU,
                                         VCDUSpare),
                     VCDUHEC),
                    NullOS,
                    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1),
                            AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,0),
                                    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,1),
                                            AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,0), NullOS)))),
                    NullTrailer,
                    NullOS) ;
    release ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)) ;

    man ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
        ! True   (* HEC Required *)
        ! False  (* Trailer Present *)
        ! False  (* VCDUErrorControl Required *)
        ! False  (* Operational Control Field Present *)
        ! True   (* Reed Solomon Required *)
        ! 2      (* Reed Solomon Length *) ;

    success ;
    exit
)
endproc test
endproc vcapt2e

```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

### Virtual Channel Access Protocol Test 2f

Name: VCDU/CVCDU format.

Description: Each VCDU-ID has associated with it a number of parameters defining (among other things) presence or absence of Reed-Solomon check symbols, presence or absence of SLAP protocol fields, presence or absence of VCDU Header Error field, presence or absence of Insert Zone (and length) and the presence or absence of the VCDU Trailer field (and its contents). Each of these parameters affect the VCDU/CVCDU format.

Inputs: Correctly formatted VCA\_UNITDATA.request.

Configuration: The configuration data should be arranged to test the production of each field in turn, i.e., each field should be set to both true and then to false, and the outputs compared.

Expected Results: The generated VCDU/CVCDUs should be formatted as per the configuration data.

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```

process vcapt2f (InsertErrorChecked : Bool,
                 GenerateInsertLossFlag : Bool,
                 FillPattern : OctetString) : noexit :=
hide insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int in
(
    test [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
    | [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]|
    ChannelAccessProcedures [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
        (InsertErrorChecked,
         GenerateInsertLossFlag,
         FillPattern)
)
where
process test [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int] : exit :=
hide success, failure in
(
    man ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! 2*8          (* VCPDUSize *)
        ! 4           (* DUZLength *)
        ! False        (* InsertActive *)
        ! 2           (* InsertSize *)
        ! False        (* BitTransReq *)
        ! OutGoing ;

    int ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
        ! MakeVCDU(MakeVCDUPrimaryHeader
                    (Version2,
                     MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                                 MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)),
                     MakeVCDUCounter(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                     Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                     Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0)),
                     MakeSignallingField(RealTimeVCDU,
                                         VCDUSpare),
                     VCDUHEC),
                    NullOS,
                    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1),
                            AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,0),
                                    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,1),
                                            AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,0), NullOS)))),
                    NullTrailer,
                    NullOS) ;
    release ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)) ;

    man ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
        ! False (* HEC Required *)
        ! False (* Trailer Present *)
        ! False (* VCDUErrorControl Required *)
        ! False (* Operational Control Field Present *)
        ! True  (* Reed Solomon Required *)
        ! 4     (* Reed Solomon Length *) ;

    success ;
    exit
)
endproc test
endproc vcapt2f

```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

### Virtual Channel Access Protocol Test 3

Name: VCDU/CVCDU Discontinuities.

Description: The VCA protocol should, if required, generate a VCDU Data Loss Flag derived from the VCDU/CVCDU Counter [5.4.7.2.e].

Inputs: Three VCDUs/CVCDUs on the same VCDU-ID, the first with a Counter field set to X, the second with a Counter field set to Y, where  $Y < X + 1$ , the third with a Counter field set to W, where  $W = Y + 1$ .

Configuration: The VCA protocol should be configured to pass Data Loss Flags, and to expect a VCDU/CVCDU with a Counter set to X.

Expected Results: Three VCA\_UNITDATA.indications should be generated, the first with the a Data Loss Flag set to false, the second with a Data Loss Flag set to true, the third with a Data Loss flag set to false.

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```

process vcapt3 : noexit :=
hide vca, vcdtu, man, slap, int in
(
    test [vca, vcdtu, man, slap, int]
    | [vca, vcdtu, man, slap, int] |
    VirtualChannelProcedures [vca, vcdtu, man, slap, int]
)

```

where

```

process test [vca, vcdtu, man, slap, int] : exit :=
hide success, failure in
(
    man ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                        MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
    ! Incoming
    ! Succ(Succ(8))
    ! VCALayer
    ! Add(Add(1, NullLINKID), NullLINKIDList) ;

    (
        int ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
        ! MakeVCDU(MakeVCDUPrimaryHeader(Version2,
                                         MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                                                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)),
                                         MakeVCDUCounter(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                                          Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                                          Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0)),
                                         MakeSignallingField(RealTimeVCDU,
                                                             VCDUSpare),
                                         VCDUHEC),
                    NullOS,
                    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1), NullOS),
                    NullTrailer,
                    NullOS) ;

        vca ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                            MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
        ? DataZone : OctetString
        ? DLF : VCDULossFlag [DLF Eq VCDUNotLost] ;
        int ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
        ! MakeVCDU(MakeVCDUPrimaryHeader(Version2,
                                         MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                                                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)),
                                         MakeVCDUCounter(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                                          Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                                          Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,0)),
                                         MakeSignallingField(RealTimeVCDU,
                                                             VCDUSpare),
                                         VCDUHEC),
                    NullOS,
                    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1), NullOS),
                    NullTrailer,
                    NullOS) ;

```

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```
vca ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                     MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
? DataZone : OctetString
? DLF : VCDULossFlag [DLF Eq VCDULost] ;

int ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
              MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
! MakeVCDU(MakeVCDUPrimaryHeader(Version2,
                                  MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                                              MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)),
                                  MakeVCDUCounter(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                              Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                              Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0)),
                                  MakeSignallingField(RealTimeVCDU,
                                                      VCDUSpare),
                                  VCDUHEC),
                  NullOS,
                  AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1), NullOS),
                  NullTrailer,
                  NullOS) ;

vca ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                  MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
? DataZone : OctetString
? DLF : VCDULossFlag [DLF Eq VCDUNotLost] ;

success ;
exit
)
[ ]
(
    failure ;
    exit
)
)
endproc test

endproc vcapt3
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

### Virtual Channel Access Protocol Test 4

Name: Inappropriate VCDU-ID.

Description: Each VCDU-ID is associated with an upper layer service interface [5.5.1.1.c]. Use of the VCA service should not be allowed on a VCDU-ID which is associated with the VCDU service.

Inputs: A correctly formatted VCA\_UNITDATA.request on VCDU-ID X.

Configuration: VCDU-ID X should be associated with the VCDU service.

Expected Results: This input should result in an error condition.

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process vcapt4 : noexit :=
hide vca, vcdtu, man, slap, int in
(
    test [vca, vcdtu, man, slap, int]
    | [vca, vcdtu, man, slap, int]|
    VirtualChannelProcedures [vca, vcdtu, man, slap, int]
)
where

process test [vca, vcdtu, man, slap, int] : exit :=
hide success, failure in
(
    man ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                        MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
    ! OutGoing
    ! Succ(Succ(8))
    ! VCDULayer
    ! NullLINKIDList ;

    (
        (
            vca ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                                MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
            ! AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                       AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1),
                               AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,0),
                                       AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,1),
                                           AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,0),
                                               AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,1),
                                                   AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                                                       AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,1),
                                                           AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,0),
                                                               AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,1), Nullos)))))))))) ;
        failure ;
        exit
    )
[])
(
    success ;
    exit
)
)
)

endproc test
endproc vcapt4
```

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Virtual Channel Access Protocol Test 5

Name: Unknown VCDU-ID.

Description: A VCDU-ID forms part of the VCA\_UNITDATA.request.

Inputs: A correctly formatted VCA\_UNITDATA.request using VCDU-ID X.

Configuration: Any Management Information which excludes VCDU-ID X.

Expected Results: This input should result in an error condition.

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process vcapt5 : noexit :=
hide vca, vcd, man, slap, int in
(
    test [vca, vcd, man, slap, int]
    | [vca, vcd, man, slap, int] |
    VirtualChannelProcedures [vca, vcd, man, slap, int]
)
where

process test [vca, vcd, man, slap, int] : exit :=
hide success, failure in
(
    man ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,1),
                        MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
    ! OutGoing
    ! Succ(Succ(8))
    ! VCALayer
    ! NullLINKIDList ;

    (
        (
            vca ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                                MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
            ! AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                       AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1),
                               AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,0),
                                       AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,1),
                                               AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,0),
                                                       AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,1),
                                                               AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                                                               AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,1),
                                                               AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,1,0,0,0),
                                                               AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,1,0,0,1)))))))))) ;
        failure ;
        exit
    )
[])
(
    success ;
    exit
)
)
)

endproc test
endproc vcapt5
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

### Virtual Channel Access Protocol Test 6

Name: IN\_SDU Length Check.

Description: The Channel Access Data Units (CADUs) for a Physical Channel must be of a fixed length over the lifetime of that channel [5.4.10.1]. The Insert Layer must therefore only accept IN\_SDUs which exactly fit the Insert Data Zones of the VCDUs/CVCDUs to be transmitted over the Physical Channel in question.

Inputs: An INSERT.request with an IN\_SDU of a certain length X. An INSERT.request with an IN\_SDU of a certain length Y.

Configuration: Management information such that the required length of the VCDU/CVCDU Insert Data Zone is W, where  $Y < W < X$ .

Expected Results: Both inputs should result in error conditions.

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```
process vcapt6 (InsertErrorChecked : Bool,
                GenerateInsertLossFlag : Bool,
                FillPattern : OctetString) : noexit :=
hide insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int in
(
    test [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
    | [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int] |
    ChannelAccessProcedures [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
        (InsertErrorChecked,
         GenerateInsertLossFlag,
         FillPattern)
)
where
process test [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int] : exit :=
hide success, failure in
(
    man ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
    ! 2*8
    ! 4
    ! True
    ! 2
    ! True
    ! OutGoing ;
    release ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)) ;
    (
        (
            insert ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
            ! AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1), NullOS) ;
            failure ;
            exit
        )
    []
    (
        insert ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1),
                   AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,0),
                           AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,1), NullOS))) ;
        failure ;
        exit
    )
    []
    (
        insert ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1),
                   AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,0), NullOS)) ;
        success ;
        exit
    )
)
endproc test
endproc vcapt6
```

Virtual Channel Access Test 7

Name: Insert SDU Discontinuities.

Description: The Insert protocol should, if required, generate a VCDU Data Loss Flag derived from the VCDU/CVCDU Counter [5.4.7.4.e].

Inputs: Three VCDUs/CVCDUs on the same VCDU-ID, the first with a Counter field set to X, the second with a Counter field set to Y, where  $Y <> X+1$ , the third with a Counter field set to W, where  $W=Y+1$ .

Configuration: The Insert protocol should be configured to pass Data Loss Flags, and to expect a VCDU/CVCDU with a Counter set to X.

Expected Results: Three INSERT.indications should be generated, the first with the a Data Loss Flag set to false, the second with a Data Loss Flag set to true, the third with a Data Loss flag set to false.

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Unfortunately, the ESPRIT LOTOS toolset can not cope with the number of Physical Channel indications necessary to build up VCDUs, so this test can not be executed. It should, however, form part of the test plan for the implementations.

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### Virtual Channel Access Protocol Test 8

Name: Correct Function of the VC\_PDU Release Parameters.

Description: Each VCDU-ID has associated with it parameters which define when the VC\_PDU must be released for transmission.

Inputs: Correctly formatted VCA\_VCDU.requests with known content.

Configuration: The VCDU Protocol should be configured to release VC\_PDUs at known intervals.

Expected Results: CADUs should be transmitted at the required rate.

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process vcapt8 (InsertErrorChecked : Bool,
                GenerateInsertLossFlag : Bool,
                FillPattern : OctetString) : noexit :=
hide insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int in
(
    test [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
|[insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]|
ChannelAccessProcedures [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int]
    (InsertErrorChecked,
     GenerateInsertLossFlag,
     FillPattern)
)
```

where

```
process test [insert, man, release, bitrate, phys, int] : exit :=
hide success, failure in
(
    man ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! 2*8          (* VCPDUSize *)
        ! 4            (* DUZLength *)
        ! False         (* InsertActive *)
        ! 2            (* InsertSize *)
        ! True          (* BitTransReq *)
        ! OutGoing ;

    int ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,0,1))
        ! MakeVCDU(MakeVCDUPrimaryHeader
                    (Version2,
                     MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                                 MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,0,1)),
                     MakeVCDUCounter(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                     Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                     Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0)),
                     MakeSignallingField(RealTimeVCDU,
                                         VCDUSpare),
                     VCDUHEC),
                    NullOS,
                    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1),
                            AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,0),
                                    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,1),
                                            AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,0), NullOS)))),
                    NullTrailer,
                    NullOS) ;
    int ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,0))
        ! MakeVCDU(MakeVCDUPrimaryHeader
                    (Version2,
                     MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                                 MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,0)),
                     MakeVCDUCounter(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                     Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                     Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0)),
                     MakeSignallingField(RealTimeVCDU,
                                         VCDUSpare),
                     VCDUHEC),
                    NullOS,
                    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1),
                            AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,0),
                                    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,1),
                                            AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,0), NullOS)))),
                    NullTrailer,
                    NullOS) ;
```

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```
int ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
    ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                  MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
    ! MakeVCDU(MakeVCDUPrimaryHeader
                (Version2,
                 MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                             MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)),
                 MakeVCDUCounter(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                 Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                 Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0)),
                 MakeSignallingField(RealTimeVCDU,
                                     VCDUSpare),
                 VCDUHEC),
                NullOS,
                AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1),
                          AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,0),
                                    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,1),
                                             AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,0), NullOS)))),
                NullTrailer,
                NullOS) ;
release ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
    ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                  MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)) ;

man ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                  MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
    ! True (* HEC Required *)
    ! True (* Trailer Present *)
    ! True (* VCDUErrorControl Required *)
    ! True (* Operational Control Field Present *)
    ! True (* Reed Solomon Required *)
    ! 2   (* Reed Solomon Length *) ;

release ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
    ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                  MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)) ;

man ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                  MakeVCID(1,1,1,1,1,1))
    ! True (* HEC Required *)
    ! True (* Trailer Present *)
    ! True (* VCDUErrorControl Required *)
    ! True (* Operational Control Field Present *)
    ! True (* Reed Solomon Required *)
    ! 2   (* Reed Solomon Length *) ;

release ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
    ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                  MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,0,1)) ;
```

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```
man ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                    MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,0,1))
! True (* HEC Required *)
! True (* Trailer Present *)
! True (* VCDUErrorControl Required *)
! True (* Operational Control Field Present *)
! True (* Reed Solomon Required *)
! 2    (* Reed Solomon Length *) ;

release ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                      MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,0)) ;

man ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                    MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,0))
! True (* HEC Required *)
! True (* Trailer Present *)
! True (* VCDUErrorControl Required *)
! True (* Operational Control Field Present *)
! True (* Reed Solomon Required *)
! 2    (* Reed Solomon Length *) ;

success ;
exit

)

endproc test

endproc vcapt8
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

### Virtual Channel Access Protocol Test 9

Name: Inappropriate VCDU-ID.

Description: Each VCDU-ID is associated with an upper layer service interface [5.5.1.1.c]. Use of the VCDU service should not be allowed on a VCDU-ID which is associated with the VCA service.

Inputs: A correctly formatted VCA\_VCDU.request on VCDU-ID X.

Configuration: VCDU-ID X should be associated with the VCA service.

Expected Results: This input should result in an error condition.

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process vcapt9 : noexit :=
hide vca, vcdtu, man, slap, int in
(
    test [vca, vcdtu, man, slap, int]
    | [vca, vcdtu, man, slap, int]|
    VirtualChannelProcedures [vca, vcdtu, man, slap, int]
)
where

process test [vca, vcdtu, man, slap, int] : exit :=
hide success, failure in
(
    man ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                        MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
    ! OutGoing
    ! Succ(Succ(8))
    ! VCALayer
    ! NullLINKIDList ;

    (
        (
            vcdtu ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                                MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
            ! MakeVCDU(MakeVCDUPrimaryHeader(Version2,
                                              MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                                                          MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)),
                                              MakeVCDUCounter(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                                              Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                                              Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0)),
                                              MakeSignallingField(RealTimeVCDU,
                                                                  VCDUSpare),
                                              VCDUHEC),
                                              NullOS,
                                              AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1), NullOS),
                                              NullTrailer,
                                              NullOS) ;
            failure ;
            exit
        )
    []
    (
        success ;
        exit
    )
)
)

endproc test

endproc vcapt9
```

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Virtual Channel Access Protocol Test 10

Name: Unknown VCDU-ID.

Description: A VCDU-ID forms part of the VCA\_VCDU.request.

Inputs: A correctly formatted VCA\_VCDU.request using VCDU-ID X.

Configuration: Any Management Information which excludes VCDU-ID X.

Expected Results: This input should result in an error condition.

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process vcapt10 : noexit :=
hide vca, vcdtu, man, slap, int in
(
    test [vca, vcdtu, man, slap, int]
    | [vca, vcdtu, man, slap, int]|
    VirtualChannelProcedures [vca, vcdtu, man, slap, int]
)
where

process test [vca, vcdtu, man, slap, int] : exit :=
hide success, failure in
(
    man ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,1),
                        MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
    ! OutGoing
    ! Succ(Succ(8))
    ! VCDULayer
    ! NullLINKIDList ;

    (
        (
            vcdtu ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                                MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1))
            ! MakeVCDU(MakeVCDUPrimaryHeader(Version2,
                                              MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                                                          MakeVCID(0,0,0,0,1,1)),
                                              MakeVCDUCounter(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                                              Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                                                              Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0)),
                                              MakeSignallingField(RealTimeVCDU,
                                                                  VCDUSpare),
                                              VCDUHEC),
                                              NullOS,
                                              AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1),
                                                       AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,0), NullOS)),
                                              NullTrailer,
                                              NullOS) ;
            failure ;
            exit
        )
    []
    (
        success ;
        exit
    )
)
)

endproc test

endproc vcapt10
```

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

### Virtual Channel Access Service Test 1

Name: Data Transfer

Description: The Virtual Channel Access Service is used to transfer VCA\_SDUs across the Space Link Subnetwork.

Inputs: A string of VCA\_UNITDATA.requests with known data content.

Configuration: No specific configuration is required.

Expected Results: A string of VCA\_UNITDATA.indications with SDUs containing the same known data as input.

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process vcast1 (GenerateInsertLossFlag : Bool) : noexit :=
hide vca, vcdtu, insert, man, release in
(
    test [vca, vcdtu, insert, man, release]
    | [vca, vcdtu, insert, man, release] |
    VCAService [vca, vcdtu, insert, man, release]
        (False)
)
where
process test [vca, vcdtu, insert, man, release] : exit :=
hide success, failure in
(
man ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
! False
! 2
! False ;
man ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,1,0,1,1), MakeVCID(0,1,0,0,1,1))
! VCALayer
! 8
! False
! False
! Add(Add(1, NullLINKID), NullLINKIDList) ;
(
(
vca ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,1,0,1,1), MakeVCID(0,1,0,0,1,1))
! AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1),
        AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,0),
            AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,1),
                AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,0),
                    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,1),
                        AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                            AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,1), nullOS))))))) ;
release ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,1,0,1,1),
    MakeVCID(0,1,0,0,1,1)) ;
vca ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,1,0,1,1), MakeVCID(0,1,0,0,1,1))
? VCASDU : OctetString
[VCASDU Eq
    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
        AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1),
            AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,0),
                AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,1,1),
                    AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,0),
                        AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,1),
                            AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,0),
                                AddFront(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,1,1,1), nullOS))))))) ;
success ; exit
)
[]
(
failure ; exit
)
)
)
endproc test
endproc vcast1
```

RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

Virtual Channel Access Service Test 2

Name: Data Transfer

Description: The Virtual Channel Access Service is used to transfer IN\_SDUs across the Space Link Subnetwork.

Inputs: A release event, without any previous VCA\_UNITDATA.requests

Configuration: No specific configuration is required.

Expected Results: An INSERT indication containing the same known data as input.

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```
process vcast2 (GenerateInsertLossFlag : Bool) : noexit :=
hide vca, vcd, insert, man, release in
(
    test [vca, vcd, insert, man, release]
    | [vca, vcd, insert, man, release]|
        VCAService [vca, vcd, insert, man, release]
            (False)
)
where

process test [vca, vcd, insert, man, release] : exit :=
hide success, failure in
(
    man ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
    ! True
    ! 2
    ! False ;

    (
        (
            release ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
            ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,1,0,1,1),
                MakeVCID(0,1,0,0,1,1)) ;

            insert ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
            ! AddFront(Octet(0,1,0,1,0,1,0,1),
                AddFront(Octet(1,0,1,0,1,0,1,0), NullOS)) ;

            insert ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
            ? INSDU : OctetString
            [ INSDU Eq
                AddFront(Octet(0,1,0,1,0,1,0,1),
                    AddFront(Octet(1,0,1,0,1,0,1,0), NullOS))] ;

            success ; exit
        )
        []
        (
            failure ; exit
        )
    )
)
endproc test

endproc vcast2
```

RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

Virtual Channel Access Service Test 3

Name: Data Transfer

Description: The Virtual Channel Access Service is used to transfer VCDUs across the Space Link Subnetwork.

Inputs: A release event, without any previous VCA\_VCDU.requests

Configuration: No specific configuration is required.

Expected Results: A VCA\_VCDU.indication containing the same known data as input.

## RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCED ORBITING SYSTEMS

```

process vcast3 (GenerateInsertLossFlag : Bool) : noexit :=
hide vca, vcd, insert, man, release in
(
    test [vca, vcd, insert, man, release]
    | [vca, vcd, insert, man, release] |
    VCAService [vca, vcd, insert, man, release]
        (False)
)
where
process test [vca, vcd, insert, man, release] : exit :=
hide success, failure in
(
man ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
! False
! 2
! False ;

man ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,1,0,1,1), MakeVCID(0,1,0,0,1,1))
! VCDULayer
! 8
! False
! False
! Add(Add(1, NullLINKID), NullLINKIDList) ;
(
(
    vcd ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,1,0,1,1), MakeVCID(0,1,0,0,1,1))
    ! MakeVCDU(MakeVCDUPrimaryHeader
        (Version2,
         MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,1,0,1,1),
                     MakeVCID(0,1,0,0,1,1)),
         MakeVCDUCounter(Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                         Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0),
                         Octet(0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0)),
         MakeSignallingField(RealTimeVCDU,
                             VCDUSpare),
         NoVCDUHEC),
    NullOS,
    AddFront(Octet(0,1,0,1,0,1,0,1),
              AddFront(Octet(1,0,1,0,1,0,1,0), NullOS)),
    NullTrailer,
    NullOS) ;

    release ! Add(1, NullLINKID)
        ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,1,0,1,1),
                      MakeVCID(0,1,0,0,1,1)) ;

    vcd ! MakeVCDUID(MakeSCID(0,0,0,0,1,0,1,1), MakeVCID(0,1,0,0,1,1))
        ? VCDU : VCDU
        [GetVCASDU(VCDU) Eq
         AddFront(Octet(0,1,0,1,0,1,0,1),
                   AddFront(Octet(1,0,1,0,1,0,1,0), NullOS))] ;

        success ; exit
    )
    []
    (
        failure ; exit
    )
)
)
endproc test
endproc vcast3

```